

Short 400 Teachers In Quebec

MONTREAL (CP)—B. O. Filteau, secretary, Quebec Department of Education, says wartime shortage of teachers will result in from 300 to 400 primary schools, mostly in outlying parts, remaining closed when the new terms start this month.

After 5 Years' Chase

OTTAWA (CP)—Donald R. Edwards, 35, sought for nearly five years on a charge of armed robbery following a bank hold-up at Richmond, Ont., appeared in police court today and was remanded for a week. He was arrested in Oregon City, Ore.

Recall Spanish Troops

LONDON (CP)—An Evening Standard correspondent reports Gen. Franco has given verbal assurance to Sir Samuel Hoare, British ambassador to Spain, the Spanish "Blue" Division will be withdrawn from Russia.

U.S. Airforce Head In Britain

LONDON (CP)—Gen. Henry H. Arnold, chief of U.S. army air forces, has arrived in Britain.

Miners to Pay Taxes On Income Estimates

VANCOUVER (CP)—A plan to tax coal miners on estimated yearly earnings instead of wages is announced today by Norman Lee, local income tax inspector. The plan applies to mines with 25 or more men.

Berlin Fires Rage On

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Swiss dispatches said today 450 fires were still burning in Berlin after Tuesday night's R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. raid. Estimates of the dead ran up to 5,000.

U.B.C. Housing Lack

VANCOUVER (CP)—Unless more accommodation can be found, 300 out-of-town students may not be able to attend U.B.C. National Housing Registry says.

P.O. Dunning Prisoner

OTTAWA (CP)—P.O. Avery Dunning, son of Hon. C. A. Dunning, former Finance Minister of Canada, is reported a prisoner of war in Germany.

Brig. McDonald Dead

OTTAWA (CP)—Brig. Gen. H. F. McDonald, C.M.G., D.S.O., chairman of the Canadian pension commission and chief executive assistant to Air Minister Power, died today at Banff.

Speed Plane Output

POWELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—Powell River Co. Ltd. here will soon begin assembly of small parts for Boeing Aircraft Co. of Canada bombers, it is announced.

Another Nazi Loose

NORTH BAY, Ont. (CP)—Mounted Police said a wide-spread search was being made for Petty Officer Arnold Schott, 23, of the German merchant navy, who escaped Aug. 26 from a labor project.

24-Word Letters

OTTAWA (CP)—Japanese censorship will limit letters and postcards sent to Allied nationals in occupied Asia to 24 words, exclusive of address, External Affairs Department announces. Letters, which have arrived in the Swiss post office from Japanese-controlled territories, are being forwarded to Canada, it said.

Price Raisers Fined

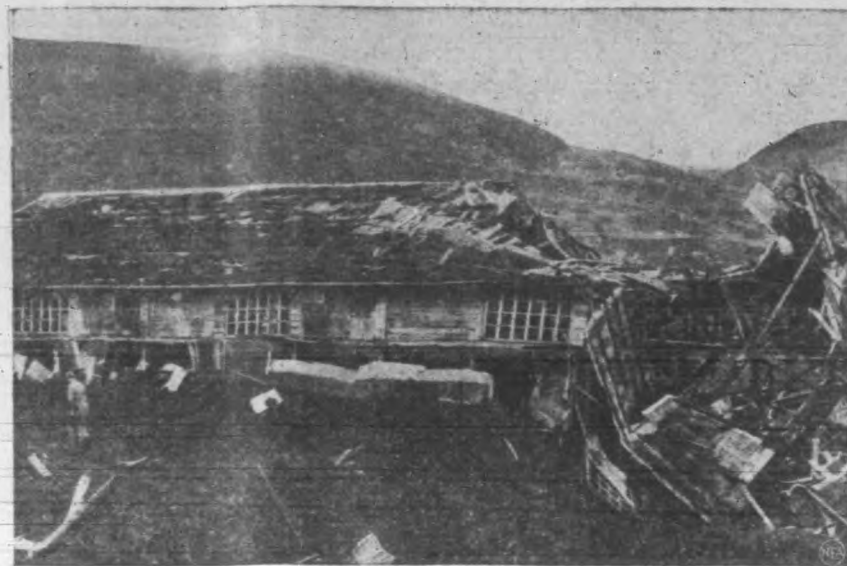
OTTAWA (CP)—For making and selling "zoot suits," a Montreal tailor was fined \$200 on Prices Board prosecution. Among 30 other prosecutions, at Sudbury, Ont., a tailor was fined \$150 for arranging for the manufacture of suits with two pairs of trousers.

Plan Strike Vote

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—Freight handlers at Fort William and Port Arthur docks will take a strike vote next week unless a reply is received from the War Labor Board on an application for higher wages, the union announces.

Roosevelt On Air

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt will make a radio address on the night of Sept. 8 as part of a program opening the Treasury's third war loan drive. The White House said today he would speak for 15 minutes, starting about 9:30 p.m. P.D.T.



BLASTED JAP SHACK ON KISKA—Indication of why the Japs left Kiska is seen in this demolished airplane hangar that was hit during the U.S. air and sea bombardment of the island when it was in enemy hands. American and Canadian forces occupying Kiska found nearly all enemy buildings in this general shape.

Nazi Broadcasters Tell People Allies Massing Invasion Armadas

By EDWARD D. BALL
LONDON (AP)—In a series of nervous broadcasts, Axis radio commentators declared today the Allies were massing vast invasion armadas both in the Mediterranean and in Britain for a two-directional continental assault which might be sprung at any moment.

Whether based on fact or fancy or in the hopes of gleaming information on Allied plans, the sudden spurt in the enemy's invasion speculation betrayed his uneasiness over what the immediate future will bring.

The Nazi-controlled Paris radio gave considerable attention to reports from La Linea, Spain, telling of the presence at Gibraltar of two battleships, four aircraft carriers, 20 cruisers, 48 destroyers and 45 merchantmen.

A military commentator of the German news agency D.N.B. asserted in a Berlin broadcast that "it cannot be denied that the Anglo-Saxons have succeeded in assembling a great flotilla consisting of transport and landing craft for their plans in the Mediterranean."

In another broadcast, the Paris station said a second amphibious force was assembling in Britain, and that "the moment is approaching when an Anglo-American invasion armada will cross the Channel and disembark its armies on the French coast."

"Two gigantic armies will come to grips in the near future," the broadcast added, "and Frenchmen will witness far more vicious battles than anything experienced in 1940. Allied air attacks on French towns have only been a foretaste of things to come."

Earlier this week, Berlin came out for the first time with an assertion that German troops were being withdrawn from the Russian front to meet the Allied invasion threat in the Mediterranean and western Europe.

But the best information in London was that instead of reinforcing troops in western Europe, the Germans may well have been diverting them from France and the Low Countries to Italy, Denmark and the Balkans.

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British Bombers Smash Gates Of Holland Canal

LONDON (CP)—British Hurricane bombers today destroyed the lock gates at the south end of the Handweert Canal, one of Holland's busy waterway links for seagoing shipping.

The air ministry news service announced tonight that Hurricanes, escorted by Typhoons, scored "bull's-eyes" on the gates. The lock enabled ships to approach Antwerp without going into the sea where they would be exposed to air and naval attack.

Flying at rooftop height, the planes smashed through strong anti-aircraft fire to reach the target. The escorting Typhoons damaged three tugs, a barge and a 400-foot coastal vessel, and machine-gunned sentries standing near the lock gates.

The announcement said the gates were destroyed, with debris flying so high in the air that one plane was damaged while flying through it.

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Russians Take Sumy In Drive Toward Kiev

Nazis Retreat From Donets



LINE SWINGS WESTWARD—Map shows Sumy, scene of one of the Russian triumphs today. From the Smolensk region to the Sea of Azov the Russians are blasting the Germans from long-held positions.

LONDON (CP)—Russian troops driving forward on the Voronezh front today captured the town of Sumy, important Ukrainian regional centre, about 100 miles northwest of Kharkov, Moscow announced.

The special order of the day was the fourth issued by Premier Stalin in four days as the Russians rolled the German forces back along the 600-mile front from the Smolensk-Moscow road to the shores of the Sea of Azov.

The capture of Sumy, a vital rail centre, carried the Red Army within 185 miles of Kiev in its westward drive across the northern Ukraine.

The middle Donets town of Lisichansk fell later today to the hard-driving Red Army forces which have driven the Nazis out of the entire Kursk region north of Kharkov, Moscow announced tonight.

A special communique, broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Soviet monitor here, announced the capture of Lisichansk and many other populated points in the Donets basin. Lisichansk is between Izum and Voroshilovgrad, about 37 miles east of the important rail junction at Slavyansk.

The Donets River point of Slavyansk also fell to the Russians, along with several other towns in the region, indicating the break-through was at least 30 miles across.

In the Smolensk region the Russians advanced four to six miles and captured more than 100 populated places, the communique said.

Other Red Army forces attacking from the coast of the Sea of Azov captured the town of Budennovka, Moscow reported.

South of Bryansk, the communique said, the Russians captured more than 130 populated places in addition to Sumy. The district centre of Grushkovo in the Smolensk region was also taken.

The special order, broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Soviet monitor here, said the Russian divisions involved in the fighting for Sumy would be called Sumy divisions hereafter "to commemorate the success."

"For the excellent military operations and valor I express my gratitude to all troops which participated in the fighting for the liberation of Sumy," Stalin's order said.

The newest gain in the dead centre of the sagging Nazi front widened and deepened the Russian by-pass salient north of Poltava.

Both cities lie on the railway network feeding the German forces in the central Donets region.

Minor stampedes in one or two downtown stores early this morning featured the first day of the jam, marmalade and sweets rationing but despite the rush, stores still had four-pound tins of jam and two-pound jars of marmalade on their shelves, shortly before noon.

Only one coupon D No. 1 became valid today and it was a task for clerks pointing out to bachelors and people living alone that a solitary coupon for 10 ounces of one of the rationed articles wouldn't entitle them to purchase anything in packed sizes.

Many of their rationed sweets were unavailable in various stores but those with small stocks of honey found them dwindling fast. The 32-ounce jars of marmalade were another favorite, according to grocer managers.

Asseltine Resigns
VANCOUVER (CP)—W. J. Asseltine, former B.C. Minister of Mines, who last July joined the National Selective Service as a conscientious objector, has resigned his position as regional superintendent, having been pressured by his own business interests. Mr. Asseltine assumed the Selective Service post in an effort to help solve the labor crisis in the province's coal and base metal mines.

Argentina May Be Haven For Axis Thugs
WASHINGTON (AP)—Commenting on the British and United States request that neutral countries refuse refuge to "war criminals," the newspaper La Prensa indicated today Argentina would adhere to "her traditional attitude" of granting asylum to political leaders.

Germans Fleeing To Avoid New Disaster

The Germans, by their own admission, were hastily withdrawing today from their once strong Donets basin salient in southern Russia, presumably in fear of an even greater debacle than the one at Taganrog, which the Russians say cost the enemy 41,000 troops.

Berlin military circles attempted to explain away the retreat by telling Swedish correspondents greater forces were needed in the west to meet an expected Allied invasion.

But Moscow communiques told a far different story—one of an avalanche of Russian military power sweeping against and around outflank and outmaneuvered Nazi armies.

A Russian war bulletin recorded by the Soviet monitor here, giving figures that made Taganrog the greatest single German defeat since Stalingrad, said charging Red Army troops had killed more than 35,000 Germans and captured 5,100 in the final liquidation of enemy forces encircled west of the Sea of Azov port.

In all eight Nazi divisions totaling 120,000 men were routed and mauled by the smashing Russian attack, the bulletin said.

Keeping up the steady pace of enemy attrition, Moscow reported, Stalin's troops Tuesday cut down an additional 6,000 of the German forces in the final liquidation of enemy forces encircled west of the Sea of Azov port.

The Nazi high command was said in today's Moscow regular bulletin to have shifted part of the inland German forces to the south in an effort to halt the Russian break-through, but the Russians, in a strong charge southwest of Voroshilovgrad, punched out gains of four to six miles toward Stalino and Debaltsevo.

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Rush Starts Early For Rationed Jam

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Portugal Prepares For War On Japan?

LISBON (AP)—Premier Antonio de Oliveira Salazar said today Portugal's stepped-up military preparations are defensive, but "in the unfortunate times in which we are living may have to be used against foreign enemies as much as against internal elements of national disintegration."

Clamping a tight censorship on speculation regarding military preparations, Dr. Salazar cautioned against expecting any change in foreign policy.

The London Evening Standard interpreted the "mobilization" of Portugal as a possible indication the country is ready to declare war on Japan in protest against Japanese atrocities at Macao and Timor.

Salazar said it might be "necessary to reinforce the colonial garrisons, according to the evolution of events concerning them."

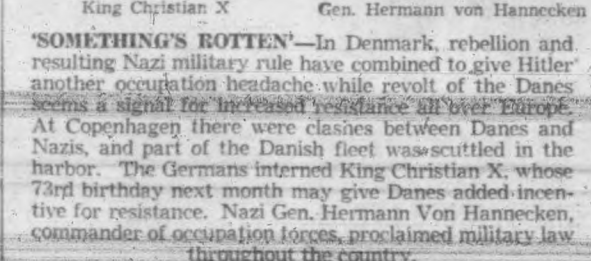
Normandie to French?

LONDON (CP)—Rene Mayer, commissioner of communications and merchant marine, said today the French Committee of National Liberation, hinted here the former liner Normandie may be returned to the French flag. The liner, now the U.S.S. Lafayette, was gutted by fire in New York, and now is being righted.

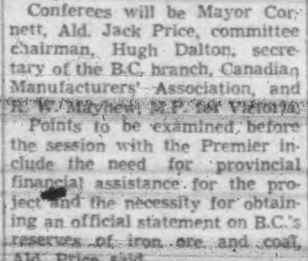
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BERNE (AP) — The Italian press prominently displayed the entire speech of Pope Pius XII Wednesday appealing for "a worthy peace." Swiss Telegraphic Agency said the display was significant because the Pope's words were published briefly, if at all, on back pages during the Mussolini regime.

Japs Left Guns Much Equipment On Kiska

By NORMAN BELL

AN ADVANCED ALEUTIAN BASE (AP) — If the Japanese had fought at Kiska with the weapons they abandoned in hasty flight, they undoubtedly would have killed many more Allied soldiers than fell in the conquest of Attu.

A check of the material left behind at Kiska showed the warriors of the rising sun got away with little more than their skins in their first non-belligerent retreat of the war.

Kiska, found deserted when United States and Canadian amphibious troops swarmed ashore from their landing craft Aug. 15-16, was five times as heavily fortified as was Attu, which was taken after 20 days of bloody fighting in May.

The abandoned materials included machine guns, heavy artillery, anti-aircraft guns, power plants, communication lines and rubber tires. The Japanese didn't even destroy their ammunition dumps.

They may have been in too much of a hurry to get away or they may have decided against

any fires or explosions that might have revealed their flight plans in firing condition.

Both the large guns and the smaller automatic weapons were clean, oiled and in firing condition, except for parts which had been removed and hastily hidden. Officers said the broad beach on the north of Kiska was so highly organized for defence that the Allied force which rushed ashore there unopposed might well have been repulsed.

It was estimated the Japanese had as many as 10,000 men on Kiska at one time, as against 2,000 on Attu. Material was in the same proportion.

It is possible that after the fall of Attu the Tokyo war lords decided the Aleutian venture was too costly and decided to sneak the Kiska garrison away gradually under cover of fog and darkness. The condition of the guns and supplies indicated that at least a skeleton force remained until probably within half a day of the Canadian-American assault. Newspapers from Japan, found on Kiska, were dated as late as June 17.

Much of the seized equipment is being put to use by the occupation force in building up a base from which to carry the war to Japan. This includes good rubber tires, some of the guns and an airfield.

1,400 Night Fighters Failed to Save Berlin From Raid

LONDON (CP) — Reports from Europe indicated today the thundering war anniversary raid against Berlin by R.A.F. and Canadian bombers blanketed Nazi capital with fire and destruction despite what was probably the heaviest concentration of fighter planes ever put up against an Allied raiding force. The raid cost 47 bombers, eight of them Canadian, and resulted in some 1,800 tons of explosives being tossed on the city.

The Air Ministry said "great damage" resulted from the raid, although clouds and smoke prevented a complete assessment of the full results.

Wednesday night the great air fleets of the Allies were apparently grounded at their bases as no reports of raids were available.

ADMISSIONS BY NAZIS

STOCKHOLM (AP) — German military experts claimed a big air victory over British bombers in Tuesday night's raid against Berlin, but by their own admissions it was apparent today the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. succeeded in dumping a huge load of bombs on the Reich's capital.

Neutral Swedish correspondents reported the Germans had massed nearly 1,400 night fighters in their effort to keep the bombers from reaching Berlin.

Nazi experts told the Swedish newspapermen that the R.A.F. used about as many planes in Tuesday's raid as they did Aug. 23, when 1,700 tons of bombs from 700 heavy British bombers devastated the west and south sections of the city and left fires which burned for two days.

When the bombers returned to Berlin Tuesday night Nazi commentators acknowledged to foreign correspondents that about 350 planes broke through the German anti-aircraft and fighter defences, which on the basis of Aug. 23 raid meant that about 850 tons of bombs and incendiaries were dropped on the capital.

It was on that scale that the R.A.F. raided Berlin three times during March, causing tremendous destruction.

COVERED BIG AREAS

Details of Tuesday's raid still were restricted by Nazi censorship, but the Berlin correspondent of the Stockholm newspaper Tidningen was permitted to say that since a large number of bombers got through to the city damage was "heavy both inside Berlin and on the outskirts."

Neutral correspondents in Berlin reported the city was just beginning to clean up from the Aug. 23 raid when the new devastation came. They said, however, that the number of casualties was small because most of the city had been evacuated from the city. The latest information from Stockholm said that about 500,000 persons have been moved from Berlin for the duration of the "bomb war."

Dry Land Vessel

Saved From Sinking

WINNIPEG (CP) — Officers and men of H.M.C.S. Chippawa, Winnipeg's naval barracks, on Tuesday stuck by their ship despite their skipper's expressed fears that it "had been scuttled."

Lashed by a rain and a north-west wind, the ship sprang a leak in the stockhold. As the water rose an SOS was sent out to the fire department, which came to the rescue and assisted sailors pump the hold dry.

Thus a peculiar tragedy—the sinking of a ship on dry land—was averted.

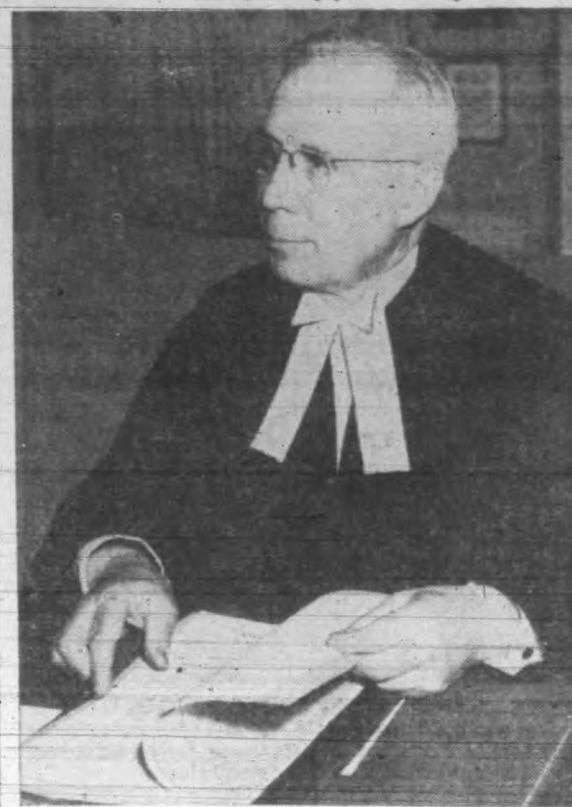
New R.C.M.P. Commander

OTTAWA (CP) — Royal Canadian Mounted Police headquarters announced today that Assistant Commissioner in Charge of R.C.M.P. forces in British Columbia, will be granted leave of absence Oct. 1 pending retirement on pension.

Superintendent C. K. Gray, at present stationed at Vancouver, will take over command of "E" division from Assistant Commissioner Hill.

Assistant Commissioner Hill joined the Royal Northwest Mounted Police in September, 1908, and has completed 35 years' service in the Yukon, B.C., the prairie provinces and Ontario. He was a war veteran.

Sees New Service Opportunity



MR. JUSTICE A. D. MACFARLANE

who assumed his duties as British Columbia's new Supreme Court member at the Courthouse here Wednesday. "I look upon the position as one which will enable me to render very definite service to the community," he told well-wishers welcoming him to his new post.

'Really Race War,' Says Judge Of Anti-Jew Riot

MONTREAL (CP) — Recorder Desires Desbois of nearby Plage Laval reserved judgment until Sept. 14 in the case of Andre Bigras, charged with disturbing the peace and resisting a constable during a recent "racial war" between Jews and French-Canadians.

The recorder said the fight at the summer resort "is clear to me now. This is in reality," he said, "a racial war between Jews and French-Canadians, and not merely an accidental outburst."

During the hearing, the recorder asked Police Chief Louis Bolduc why his son, Rene, for whom a warrant has been issued on the grounds that he instigated the riot, had not been arrested. Chief Bolduc replied all attempts had been made to bring his son into custody, but had failed.

"I would advise you," the recorder said, "to enlist the aid of the provincial police to find him as soon as possible."

The recorder expressed regret that the Montreal football player and boxer, who suffered serious eye injuries during the fight, was unable to attend the hearing.

MAY LOSE EYE

Herscovitch's sister said doctors will know this week whether her brother will suffer the loss of one eye as a result of the injuries.

Fernand Bolduc, another son of the chief of police, said he and companions had gone into the riot with the intention of "defending my race in case anything happened. We went there to avenge a previous beating of one of our friends."

Arnold Ketchner said Rene Bolduc started the riot.

Frances Farmer Freed From Sanitarium

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Release of screen actress Frances Farmer from a private sanitarium, where she has been a patient since last January, has been authorized by court order, says Superior Judge Dudley S. Valentine.

The order, he stated, remands Miss Farmer to the custody of her mother, Mrs. Lillian Farmer of Seattle.

However, Dr. A. Vincent Gerty, the actress' physician, said she would remain here until she gets her affairs in order.

Miss Farmer became a ward of the division of Superior Court which handles psychiatric cases after she had created a series of disturbances following her arrest on a charge of violating dimout driving regulations.

Labor Congress Urges Canada Lower Income Tax

QUEBEC (CP) — The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, in 59th annual convention here, went on record today as favoring full cost-of-living bonus, tax free, for every worker and abolition of income tax on overtime work.

The convention, now in its fourth day, also urged the federal government to raise exemption from income tax to \$2,400, "a sum covering a decent standard of living" and to lower the income tax rate on the first \$1,000 of taxable income.

A motion introduced by Calgary Local 348 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, asking endorsement of the policy of subsidies on essential needs "and extension of these subsidies, that prices shall be kept down and the present cost of living maintained for the benefit of the lower income groups," was thrown out by the delegates on recommendation of the resolutions committee.

The congress demanded "in the most forceful manner" that profits from industry be limited to 5 per cent by means of taxation or other methods and that excess profits be "used for the prosecution of the war."

As carried by the convention, the resolution for limitation of profits was abbreviated to exclude the original preamble making "accusations" which the resolutions committee said were not supported by facts. The committee, which first moved non-concurrence, later agreed to proceed with the principle of the motion.

The preamble held that "it is a known fact that tremendous profits are being made by numbers of unscrupulous employing interests out of the suffering and sacrifices entailed in our country's war effort."

It added that "this disgraceful state of affairs has been made possible by sharp practices in bookkeeping and at times direct falsification of profits," and that this state of affairs is doing untold harm to our war effort and is reflected in the attitude of large sections of our people.

U.S. Army Casualties In Sicily Total 7,500

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. army losses in the 38-day conquest of Sicily numbered 7,500 killed, wounded and missing to bring the army's overall war losses to 70,872 and lift the announced casualties for the armed services and merchant marine to 104,658 since the United States entered the war.

The latest army figures were announced by General Mark W. Clark, commander of the Seventh Army, in all combat zones, 9,209 were killed in action or died of wounds, 20,159 were wounded, 21,764 were missing, and 19,740 have been officially reported prisoners of war.

Of the army wounded, McCloy said more than 9,000 have recovered completely and returned to active duty. He added the total of missing included a large number of Philippine scouts lost in Bataan and Corregidor.

Navy casualties announced to date are 21,593, marines 7,069, and the coastguard 363. The latest merchant marine summary showed 4,751 dead and missing. In all the services, the dead now total 13,875.

McCloy said he had no report on British and Canadian casualties in the Sicilian campaign but recalled Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's Aug. 18 announcement that the total in his command was approximately 25,000.

We'll Grow Bigger

LONDON (CP) — If the freedom from want of food policy set up by the United Nations is realized fully, says Sir John Boyd Orr, British diet expert, an increase of four inches may be expected in the average stature of poorer people everywhere.

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Feed Demands Reduce Grain Stocks

OTTAWA (CP) — The agricultural supplies board, in a statement issued today, served warning that Canada's immense grain stocks "probably will be none too great for safety in view of the anticipated need for animal and poultry feeds on this continent."

In a detailed survey of the feed situation, the board said it is vitally important that eastern Canadian farmers who expect to need grain for feeding purposes should not only place orders early but also be prepared to accept whatever kind of grain they can get—whether it be wheat, oats or barley—when they can get it.

The statement reviewed transportation difficulties and the immense demand for feed grain stocks. It warned that protein feed ingredients definitely will be short.

Germans Lost 65,000 In Norway in 1940

LONDON (CP) — The Germans lost 65,000 men killed or disabled in their invasion of Norway in 1940, Rear-Admiral Hjalmar Riiser-Larsen, chief of the Norwegian air force, declared today. At the end of the campaign, the admiral said, the Germans demanded the Norwegians pay pensions to the widows and dependents of the Nazi soldiers killed or wounded in the invasion. Norway promptly agreed.

"I am surprised that you accept," said the German general who transmitted the demand. "Not at all," replied the Norwegian official with whom the general was dealing. "Hitler has announced that you lost only 1,163 killed and wounded. We can afford to pay pensions for them."

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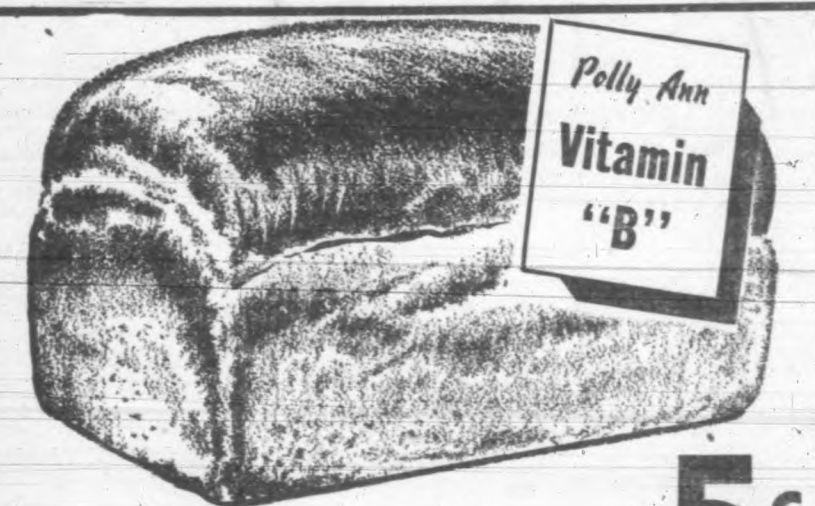
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Drama Critic Barred

NEW YORK (CP)—Lee and J. J. Shubert, theatrical producers, said Wednesday they have barred Louis Kronenberger, drama critic for the newspaper PM and Time magazine, from their theatres because of "unfair, unjust and cruel" reviews. Kronenberger said he will continue to attend opening night performances of Shubert productions by buying tickets at the box office.

Soldier-to-Civilian, Rehabilitation's First Care

By FRANK FLAHERTY
OTTAWA.

Plans for the re-establishment of members of the armed forces in civilian life are further advanced than any other phase of postwar planning. They are actually in operation for the benefit of those discharged from time to time as the war proceeds and are subject to change in the light of experience.

The arrangements in operation include a clothing allowance, a rehabilitation grant, transportation from place of discharge, provision for continued education and vocational training. Not yet in operation but on the statute books is a Veterans' Land Act under which financial assistance will be given to soldiers about to

settle on farms or small land holdings.

The aim of all re-establishment plans is to see that, so far as possible, a man or woman is not worse off for having served his country in the armed forces.

For those who return with wounds and disabilities there is provision for treatment so long as there is a possibility of improving their condition before discharge and up to one year after discharge. This treatment is free and allowances for the families of the men undergoing it will be paid. For those with permanent disabilities there are pensions for life with free medical treatment and hospitalization as required.

Employers of men who left

jobs to enlist are required by law to reinstate them. Everyone on discharge after more than 183 days' continuous service receives a rehabilitation grant of 30 days' pay and allowances. Men who enter insurable employment under the Unemployment Insurance Act are placed in the same position as persons who have been continuously employed by the government paying up the contributions they would have paid to the Unemployment Insurance Fund.

The scale of benefits amounting to \$10.20 a week for a single man and \$14.40 a week with allowances for children on the same scale as while on active service for married men has been established. These benefits are payable in certain events for a period equal to a man's service in the forces or a maximum of 52 weeks in the first 18 months after discharge, and in some cases longer.

They are payable to men await-

ing employment opportunities, temporarily incapacitated for work, undergoing vocational training to fit them for jobs, awaiting returns from private businesses such as farms and shops, continuing their education at universities and professional schools. In the case of students, college fees will be paid as well as the benefits.

Assistance under the Veterans' Land Act will be available to full-time farmers, industrial workers wanting rural homes and men who want to link small farm operations with commercial fishing. The government bears part of the cost of purchase and interest on the debt is at the rate of 3½ per cent.

W. W. Jacobs Dies

LONDON (CP)—W. W. Jacobs, 80, who quit a civil service job to become one of Britain's foremost humorous authors, died Wednesday after an illness of several months.

School Children To Name Planes

OTTAWA (CP)—Air force headquarters have announced that under an agreement between Air Minister Power and Finance Minister Isley, school children throughout Canada soon will be able to have aircraft of the R.C.A.F. named for their communities by purchasing war savings stamps to a stated amount.

The headquarters statement said subscriptions required for various types of aircraft were as follows: Elementary trainer (Cornell, Fleet, Tiger Moth), \$10,000; advanced trainer (Harvard, Anson, Norseman, Crane, Oxford), \$15,000; fighter (Hurricane and other types), \$25,000; bomber \$100,000.

The sums represent only the partial cost of such aircraft, the actual figures not being divulged for security reasons.

Today's War Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE

The mystery surrounding the United States assault on Japan's Marcus Island is of course purposeful and a part of the high command's strategy, but we are warranted in regarding this operation as a colorful advertisement that the time is rapidly approaching when the Allies can do business on a big scale in the Pacific.

All sorts of speculation is going the rounds as to the exact meaning of this startling move in which a task force has boldly sailed in and taken a punch at a point in the perimeter of the defenses of the Japanese mainland. One guess is about as good as another, but there are some things which we can pin down.

For instance, we know that Marcus Island, while only a pimple on the face of the Pacific, is highly important to the Japs for both defence and offensive. Lying as it does some 1,200 miles from the Japanese mainland, it is a vital listening post—a sentinel to warn of the approach of danger. It also is a strong air base, and is a stepping stone between Japan proper and her islands in the southwest Pacific. It is a step in the preparation of the big pair of pincers which the Allies are going to clamp on the Japanese in due course—an attack from the south and from the Aleutian Islands in co-operation with a drive against Burma by United Nations forces under Vice-Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten.

The psychological effect of the Marcus Island expedition has been top-hole. It succeeded in scaring the stuffing out of the little men of the Rising Sun who rushed their spokesmen to the microphones to warn the public their island kingdom was in peril. The radio spread the news—and it was quite accurate—that the raiders could have attacked the Japanese mainland had they seen fit.

There is some speculation whether the attacking forces had the hope of drawing the Japanese navy out into the open where it could be got at. That's an interesting thought, but the best we can say without further information is that the U.S. navy would be happy to get a crack at the Japanese home fleet under favorable conditions.

Is the task force bent on occupying Marcus Island? Obviously this base, so close by air to Tokyo, would be a great asset, if it could be held without too much sacrifice. It wouldn't be easy to maintain this position, so close to the Japanese mainland. Likely

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Russia's Roller Rolls On

UNLESS THEY CAN IMPROVE THEIR technique for "explaining" the series of bitter defeats which the Wehrmacht has suffered on the eastern front, army spokesmen in Berlin would be better advised to remain silent. Our valiant Russian allies require no tutelage on the importance to the German high command of the strategic anchor of Taganrog; enemy prisoners taken when the battle for the city reached its crucial point revealed that the Fuehrer had ordered this vital bastion to be held at all costs. And even the dullest mind is capable of comprehending the geographical significance which the Germans attached to it. Yet those redoubtable military chancellors in the Nazi capital have gone to extraordinary lengths to impress upon Swedish newspaper correspondents the "desirability" of withdrawing forces from this area of the southern part of the eastern front in order to prepare for the expected invasion of "Festung Europa" from the west.

All this, of course, is mere shadow boxing. Such an "explanation" falls into the category of sheer stupidity when it is considered in conjunction with the stark fact that 35,000 Germans were killed and nearly 6,000 taken prisoner in the execution of this so-called cleverly-designed manoeuvre. The various official communiques from Moscow during the last few days have laid bare the real reason why the Nazi legions began and continued their "detaching" or "disengaging" movement: It was because "an avalanche of Russian military power sweeping against and around" Taganrog had outflanked and outmanoeuvred Hitler's armies. Similar military phraseology also may be applied to the several distinct battles which have brought outstanding success to our allies from the moment the Soviet high command decided that the enemy was ready for the kill after he had expended his greatest concentrated effort to straighten out the Kursk salient—which he launched on July 5. Not only did he fail miserably and lose heavily in men and material; he exposed himself to just such a counterblow as Dr. Max Werner, the eminent military authority, predicted would be his fate unless he could repeat this summer the process which netted him huge territorial gains in 1941 and 1942.

Naturally the army spokesmen in Berlin are at their wits' end to know how to vary their explanations of cumulative defeats to the German people at the beginning of the fifth year of the war. Nevertheless they may succeed for a time. Smolensk, Gomel, Kiev, Dnepropetrovsk—all historic names with special significance even to the layman—have been lost. The Russian people, however, have their minds' eyes to wander along the shores of the Sea of Azov and on to the Crimean Peninsula. They may well speculate on what might happen if this territory again should be returned to its rightful owners. The day of its recapture is, perhaps, not far distant, only the rains now due in the Donets basin appear likely seriously to slow up the inexorable Russian advance. Moreover, when the Black Sea permits freer movement for Soviet war vessels, Turkey may manifest a new interest in the growing might and ultimate victory of the United Nations.

Nothing has come out of Turkey in recent days, however, to suggest the Ankara government is convinced that her interests would be better served by joining in the fray than by continuing her meticulous observance of a neutral status. But her statesmen assuredly are far from blind to the implications of Bulgaria's troubled state, to the vastly-improved position in which Turkey has found herself since the downfall of Mussolini, and the subsequent removal of the major menace to shipping in the Mediterranean—the vital waterway in which she is particularly interested. But in any event, the complete explosion of the German myth that Russia could not stage a successful summer offensive is bound, sooner or later, to remove from the tasks of the military apologists in Berlin the necessity of explaining "strategic withdrawals" which shout their own significance from the shattered roof tops of the once proud German capital.

'Splendid' Isolation

EVIDENTLY ARGENTINA'S PRESIDENT Pedro Ramirez does not consider his military government as anything in the nature of a dictatorship. But after an existence of nearly three months, his cabinet of generals and admirals have reached the conclusion that it is time to emulate Hitler and go in for a thorough purge of all activities which savor of democratic practices, especially those friendly to the Soviet Union.

To begin with, 32 Communist newspapers have been suspended, and at least 1,000 Communist clubs have been closed. Next, the government embarked on a book-burning spree, destroying 80,000 volumes, including works by Upton Sinclair and the Dean of Canterbury's "Soviet Power." Then it also terminated the activities of unions representing 75 per cent of organized labor, and jailed an estimated 1,200 workers, while it has also

opened a new concentration camp in Patagonia, with 84 Communists among the first tenants. But the government merely slapped the wrist of one pro-Nazi newspaper for its reference to Mr. Roosevelt's remarks urging neutrals to refuse asylum to fleeing Nazis and Fascists. This offending editorial described the presidential request as an "insulting ultimatum" and earned a "severe" reprimand. Then the government itself did a thorough job of censoring the speech by deleting adjectives unfriendly to Fascists.

What Argentina does, of course, is her own business. She seems to think that by playing a lone game she can avoid all the economic and other consequences—direct or indirect—of participation in the conflict. But her government ought to realize by this time that in the lexicon of neutrality the final word is generally war. One of these days, if he is still in office, President Ramirez may wonder what role his country will be permitted to play at the peace conference.

Hospital Internes

LOCAL HOSPITALS ARE FINDING IT A difficult problem to get sufficient internes or to keep them under the present regulations governing military service and other war demands for manpower. How to deal effectively with this pressing situation is an important item on the agenda for consideration of the executive of the Victoria Medical Society at its meeting tomorrow. An appeal to Mayor McGavin for his assistance and influence in the matter is perhaps natural; but his worship quite wisely suggested he would rather the medical profession itself first attempt a solution.

Here would seem to be a case for the authorities at Ottawa to issue a regulation to cover this specific condition. Month after month the fighting services of the country have been absorbing young doctors as fast as they could be obtained. Graduates, however, are required to put in eight months as internes before they are acceptable. In peacetime, of course, our curative establishments had no difficulty in meeting their needs in this regard. But in view of many solutions that apparently have been found for all kinds of problems which in normal times appeared to be impossible of circumvention, this one of a deficiency of internes should present no special difficulty. It is obvious that unless a hospital is adequately staffed in this vital particular, the community must suffer commensurately.

Guarding the health of the home front is no whit less important than the provision of adequate numbers of men with suitable medical training for the battlefronts. And the interne is obviously an indispensable element in hospital personnel. Unless the Medical Society is able to devise some means of bridging the gap occasioned by external demands for the services of these young men, therefore, it is patently a case for official intervention—as promptly as the imperative circumstances warrant.

Schools Without Teachers

ACCORDING TO A CANADIAN PRESS survey, many schools across Canada will not reopen because of a teacher shortage. Fortunately, as has been pointed out by the press, the shortage is not universal.

However, in the country as a whole there must be faced the serious deficiency of personally qualified and professionally prepared teachers. This condition constitutes one of the serious threats to the present school generation. Its most dangerous aspect derives from the fact that the schools badly affected are, by and large, those in greatest need of high-grade services, such as rural and village schools. In these for all too many years inexperienced and not fully trained teachers have frequently been employed.

Now, not only have young men teachers gone to serve in the armed forces, but young women teachers are enlisting in the women's branches. In addition, up until the recent order "freezing" teachers in their profession, industry, with a high-wage scale quite beyond the possibilities of most school budgets, was drawing heavily on teaching staffs, and from the groups of young men and women who might otherwise have entered the profession.

Salaries must be considered in connection with effective remedial measures; this phase of the situation obviously involves the prestige of teaching, if not of education itself. There is a lack of general appreciation of this aspect of the problem as a wartime as well as a peacetime service to the nation—and of the consequent continuing need for maintaining high standards of instruction. In helping to correct this condition parent-teacher associations and other interested groups are in a position to take a lead. There is an opportunity for them to advance more than superficial measures to make teachers really feel that their service to society is highly valued and deserves much more practical recognition.

Notes

The wonder is that so many are satisfied when nobody decides in advance what kind of mate he really wants.

"I am captain and he is first mate," says a Hollywood movie wife. She must be a mere kid if he is her first.

A man's enemies criticize; his friends watch him going to the devil and keep still to avoid offending him.

When manufacturers can make fabulous profits by using good material, why should they use faulty stuff? It doesn't make sense.

Bruce Hutchison

CROCODILE TEARS

MR. WELLS GRAY regrets that he cannot save the Malahat from the devastation of logging, and his crocodile tears, flowing down from the Summit, have mingled salt water with the clear torrent of Goldstream. One is very sorry for Mr. Gray.

His trouble is the sum of \$54,000. He cannot afford to spend \$54,000 to save the beauty of the Malahat. Its beauty, in the opinion of the provincial government, simply isn't worth that much.

In this matter, I have no doubt, the government is implementing the will of the people of British Columbia. They don't want to spend \$54,000 saving the Malahat. On commercial grounds they hardly think that the tourist value of the Malahat is that much, and on the more respectable grounds of beauty and love of nature the people don't know what we are talking about. So the logging goes ahead.

The same people who cannot find \$54,000 to save the Malahat normally spend some \$20,000,000 a year on liquor in British Columbia, millions of dollars on horse racing and gambling, and substantial sums on pleasures even less respectable. Clearly these things are valued far more than the beauty of the countryside.

This discovery should not surprise us. We have always spent more money, for instance, on drink than on educating the young, and while we have used a few dollars and a few hours of the school year to teach the young temperance we have always striven by every device of propaganda and advertising to make people drink as much liquor as possible to swell the government's revenues.

WHAT WE WANT

IN OTHER WORDS, we do what we want to do, not what we say we want to do. We pay lip service to temperance and then do everything possible to undermine it. We pay lip service to the beauty of the countryside and refuse to protect it because it would cost \$54,000, which is the income of the liquor stores for less than a day, and less than Victoria spends on a New Year's celebration.

The liquor and the New Year's party are soon gone, but the Malahat timber, if bought now, would last forever. We don't care about that. We imagine, by a strange process of mathematics, that somehow, if we own the timber, we shall be poorer than we were before; just as we have always imagined that when the government cleared land or built a hospital the nation was somehow poorer because debt was incurred, whereas it is obvious the nation is richer. It is no richer, however, when it drinks up its resources in liquor or spends them on gambling. This is logic but the public is also logical—it wants the drink and the gambling more than it wants the beauty of the countryside. The public is always right.

WORDS OF COMFORT

HOWEVER, MR. GRAY has personally surveyed the scene of desolation and, wiping away his tears, returns to town quite cheered up by the prospects for the future. Mr. Gray is going to plant the logged-off region. He is going to place there little seedling fir trees, four inches high, and then sit on a log and watch them grow. He will estimate that they will replace the virgin timber. Certainly they will in perhaps 150 years. Mr. Gray will have to sit on the log for quite a long time yet. That is, assuming that forest fires do not burn up the young trees, as they have already burned up a good deal of the young timber of this island.

Mr. Gray has other words of comfort. In a public statement fairly dripping with unctious he points out that the removal of the timber has opened up a beautiful marine view. It has removed the hideous obstruction of the virgin timber and exposed the sea, so that the tourist may observe it as he drives past. The tourist will not notice the foreground of stumps and blackened ruin. His eyes will travel over this to the far-off, beautiful sea.

There is a principle of beauty which we might well follow everywhere. For it cannot be denied that our forests blot out many fine views. If they were removed we could see the mountains more clearly. Why, up by Campbell River, where all the trees have been removed, you can see the mountains for 40 miles, all as bald as a statesman's head. You can see the ocean over a vast wilderness of beautiful stumps, where the ghastly forest used to stand in the way. The marine view is unexcelled. It is what you might call a Gray spectacle.

We shall see many more before long. As the forests are cut down, and as we raven through our capital resources and approach their depletion, the last tiny groves of fir will be logged. On the Shawnigan Lake cut-off, for instance, loggers have been bidding for the few little stands of timber that used to be too small to bother about but are now worth cutting. Everywhere the same process will occur. We are going to have marine views, mountain views, Gray views of every sort. It is what we want. It is what we are willing to pay for.

Dr. Garbett, Archbishop of York, has now tackled the problem as it relates to himself, and, indeed, has gone farther by agreeing with the ecclesiastical commissioners for a reduction of his salary by half. Under this arrangement the commissioners have taken over the endowments and property of the see of York. Dr. Garbett will receive £4,500 as salary instead of £9,000, and will be allowed a maximum of £800 a year for diocesan expenses.

He will continue to live at Bishophorpe, his official house outside the city of York, but as soon as possible after the war the premises will be divided and modernized. One portion of it will continue to be his home, the other may be turned into a retreat house or a small college of clergy. All this is a bold step; bishops embarrassed by these huge and inconvenient palaces may find hopes of relief in it.

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Four Years Ago—How It Began

By JEAN THOMPSON

TOMORROW, Sept. 3, fifth anniversary of the opening of the Second Great War, marks not only a new and more confident phase in the struggle for the principles of right and human decency, it brings to mind the events of four years ago, some still fresh in mind; others somewhat dimmed by the confusion of four years of conflict.

Four years ago His Majesty called upon the Empire to "stand calm, firm and united" following declaration of war on Germany. Three months previously the King and Queen were, in the midst of their visit to Canada, on an occasion for the greatest rejoicing among their subjects in the Dominion of Canada.

Through the "phoney war" of the first year or so, the evacuation of Dunkerque, the great blitz, the Japanese aggression in the Far East, and the long-drawn-out submarine warfare, the confidence of the King and his Empire was fully justified. The Quebec conference has emphasized the initiative has passed from the hands of a relentless enemy de-

termined on total war, to the United Nations, with "the beginning of the end" on the horizon.

QUICK ACTION

The same Sunday (September 3, 1939) that Britain declared war, the liner Athenia was torpedoed and sunk 200 miles north of western Scotland with the loss of 125 lives. The British war cabinet was named with Winston Churchill as First Lord of the Admiralty, a post which he had held in the First Great War. France followed Britain into war. Germany's drive against Poland was in its third day and the pattern for the destruction of civilian life in shattering air raids was being set as Warsaw and other Polish cities were subjected to merciless bombings.

CANADA'S ENTRY

Canada's official declaration of war on Sept. 10, 1939, was the first time in history that the senior Dominion of the British Commonwealth on its own account and by its own will proclaimed itself in a state of war. In 1914 Canada was at war when Britain was at war. In 1939 the

Canadian Parliament gave its approval to the declaration, and a royal proclamation was issued by Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General, on the authority of King George VI, announcing the existence of a state of war with Germany.

Organization of the Canadian army, navy and air force was undertaken immediately, the Ministry of Munitions appeared in the cabinet, the wartime budget took shape, armed guards were placed at power stations and railway bridges; stories of horror and suspense, blackouts, gas masks, air-raid shelters, torpedoings, poured from Europe to the western hemisphere. British war missions began arriving to acquire munitions and supplies for the British government.

On the fifth anniversary of the declaration of war, Canadians look forward soberly confident within the British Commonwealth of Nations and the United Nations to the ultimate triumph of principles they hold more sacred than life or material welfare.

A Big Bucket of Ice Water

From St. Louis Post-Dispatch

We are an enthusiastic people who are likely to decide that because the Allied forces hit a winning streak in north Africa and Sicily, the war is as good as over. Over such pleasant optimism, Director of the Budget Byrnes poured some very cold water in his recent speech.

North Africa is ours and so is Sicily, but the combined American, British and Canadian forces have met and defeated less than 7 per cent of the combat divisions the enemy has in the European area. Forty per cent of the enemy divisions are engaged on the Russian front, so he has more than half of his strength in reserve, to throw where the greatest threat lies.

Even with Italy out of the war, Byrnes soberly points out, the Germans will have more combat divisions in Europe than will the Allies even after American mobilization, with its scheduled 90 divisions, is complete. We know, moreover, that the Germans are hard and resourceful fighters, in contrast to the Italians, and that many of their leaders are masters in the art of war.

The Germans have been badly hurt on the Russian front, but Byrnes reminds us that the Russians have suffered even more heavily. If the Germans should

decide on a defensive war, evacuating Russian territory, in whole or in part, thus shortening their lines, they will be as formidable defensively as they ever were offensively. The Germans, let the optimists remember, still have most of the continent under their heel, and they have exacted a heavier price from us in U-boat sinkings than they have lost through our bombings of their industrial areas.

Turning to the Far East, the picture is once again a dark one. Byrnes shows that the Japs occupy one-fourth of China proper, dominate one-half its population and control a major share of its developed resources. Japan holds French Indo-China, Siam, the Dutch East Indies, Malaya, Burma, Hongkong and strategic islands constituting altogether a vast empire, with human and material resources, including 90 per cent of the world's crude rubber, almost beyond calculation. Moreover, the Japs, like the Germans and unlike the Italians, have the savage will to fight.

So, in a sense, we have just begun to make a contest of this war and Byrnes quotes President Roosevelt as saying that the major battles lie ahead of us, not behind us. More ice water:

"There is nothing to justify the

hope of unconditional surrender by the Axis powers in the near future. It is by no means clear that we are today as near winning the war as the Axis was in the summer of 1940. No full scale offensive against Japan has yet commenced. The heroes of Bataan are still prisoners of the Japs. No Allied army has crossed the borders of Germany. Before that is done, thousands of American soldiers will make the supreme sacrifice. The roads to Berlin and Tokyo are still long, hard and bloody."

We think these statements of Byrnes should be posted in the hat and that they should be read and reread when our thinking grows too wishful and when we are tempted to complain about the comparatively mild restrictions that have been placed on civilian activities. Both from military and civil points of view, things are going to be a lot tougher before this war is won.

Milan Avenges Matteotti

From Winnipeg Free Press

The rumor factories in Bern, Stockholm and Madrid have been busy since the election of 1933. When Mussolini became premier he had only 25 followers in a house of 518. But by suppressing opposition, he emerged from the election with 375 supporters. Matteotti announced that he would attack the election fraud in the house on June 11. On the tenth he was kidnapped and murdered. His body was not discovered for two months.

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The murder of Matteotti on June 10, 1924, precipitated a crisis for Mussolini, which lasted for months; it started the Fascist terror which eventually suppressed all opposition in Italy. Matteotti was a Unitarian Socialist deputy of the lower house, one of the few elected when Mus-

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BISHOPS' PALACES

From Manchester Guardian

From time to time bishops have complained that their official houses are far too large for their needs, that in some instances many of the numerous rooms have had to be closed, and that generally these palaces involve unnecessary expenditure.

Dr. Garbett, Archbishop of York, has now tackled the problem as it relates to himself, and, indeed, has gone farther by agreeing with the ecclesiastical commissioners for a reduction of his salary by half. Under this arrangement the commissioners have taken over the endowments and property of the see of York. Dr. Garbett will receive £4,500 as salary instead of £9,000, and will be allowed a maximum of £800 a year for diocesan expenses.

He will continue to live at Bishophorpe, his official house outside the city of York, but as soon as possible after the war the premises will be divided and modernized. One portion of it will continue to be his home, the other may be turned into a retreat house or a small college of clergy. All this is a bold step; bishops embarrassed by these huge and inconvenient palaces may find hopes of relief in it.

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DOING AND DARING

From Windsor Star

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For appointment see Mrs. J. P. Leeming.

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For appointment see Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

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Time, 4 to 8 p.m. Headquarters, City Hall.
For appointment see Mrs. V. M. Gosselin.

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For appointment see Mrs. Edith F. Robertson.

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Canada Gets Share Of Record Seal Kill Made Despite Japs

OTTAWA (CP)—A secret U.S. fur-sealing expedition that snared valuable pelts from right under the noses of the Japanese, means a small fortune to Canada, officials today revealed to the Canadian Press.

Announcement was made in Washington recently that U.S. sealers had gone to the Pribilof Islands, within bombing range of the Japanese, then on Kiska in the Aleutians, and had taken off a record-breaking total of 117,164 skins this year.

Last year, because of war in the Pacific, practically no seals were taken. This year, also because of the war, the seal take means more than ever before to Canada because her share in the return has been increased from 15 per cent to 20 per cent.

From the 1941 kill, the Dominion received a total of \$212,131 as her share in the fiscal year 1942-43.

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JOHN MURRAY

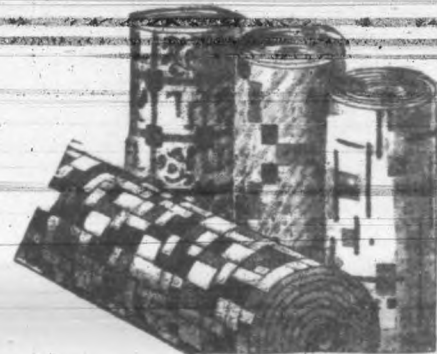
For valued service with the permanent forces of Canada, John Murray, 476 Foster Street, was this afternoon presented with the Meritorious Service Medal at Work Point Barracks by Lt. Col. E. H. Dean, C.O. 6th Canadian Division, R.C.A.S.C.

Murray retired on pension some months ago. He held the rank of staff sergeant-major. Coming to Canada in 1903 from the Imperial Army, he joined the Royal Canadian Engineers, and later transferred to the R.C.A. M.C. He is the only man in the Army Service Corps to receive the M.S.M.

Murray served in World War I and was wounded at Ypres. His son, Percy William, has just returned after three years overseas service. Murray is now employed at Yarrows Ltd.

U.S. War Casualties

WASHINGTON (AP)—More than 100,000 members of the United States military forces and the merchant marine have been killed in action, wounded, reported missing or taken prisoner, latest figures show. The army said its casualty total up to last week was 69,358. Navy casualties totaled 21,556, marines 7,904 and coastguard 363. The latest merchant marine summary showed a total of 4,751 dead and missing. All these add up to 103,122.



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Personnel Needs Of Air Force May Change Recruiting

OTTAWA (CP)—Developments during the next few months, on the battlefronts and elsewhere, may largely determine the pattern for recruiting in the Canadian armed forces for the balance of the war.

While the army's need for men may be revised downward in the future, the needs of the air force, now urgent, are expected to continue unabated until the end of the war.

The army and navy experienced a boom in recruiting recently following the lowering of the compulsory call-up age to 18. The increase in air force recruiting

for a couple of weeks was such that some recruiting centres had difficulty keeping up with the applicants, but it has slackened off somewhat.

So far, however, the intake has not been sufficient to fill the shortage of aircrew in training schools, particularly marked in Ontario and in the Montreal and B.C. coast areas, but not so noticeable in the maritime provinces or on the prairies.

Last May, Defence Minister Ralston placed the over-all manpower requirements of the three armed services at 177,000 for the 12 months starting April 1—100,000 for the army, 24,000 for the navy and 53,000 for the air force.

With no official figures available, it is estimated that the

army has made satisfactory progress towards getting its 100,000; the navy has kept up to its requirements, but the air force has not obtained enough recruits to keep its training establishments running at capacity.

'Social Insurance Must Come'—Ilsey

QUEBEC (CP)—Finance Minister Ilsey in a speech here said Canada must be prepared after victory to do its share in developing trade between countries, "possibly even in helping other countries develop themselves to the point where they can trade effectively with us and with others."

In an address delivered Wednesday at the 59th annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, he said "we are pushing ahead now in Ottawa with efforts to prepare ourselves for such international action."

After the war, we must pursue better housing with the same effort and effectiveness that we are devoting now to price control," he said. "We must conceive and carry out social insurance with the same boldness and thoroughness with which we have raised the income tax for war purposes. We must have the same courage and faith in financing useful peacetime development as we have had to apply in financing the war."

"If we have sought to control increases in prices or wages, it is not because we want to deprive farmers and workers of any benefit which at first blush would seem to result therefrom," he continued.

"It was rather 'because we believe that such increases, here, there, and ultimately everywhere, would in the end, under war conditions, bring about a general increase in the working class—and would also lead to a confusion that would hinder our efforts in the war.'"

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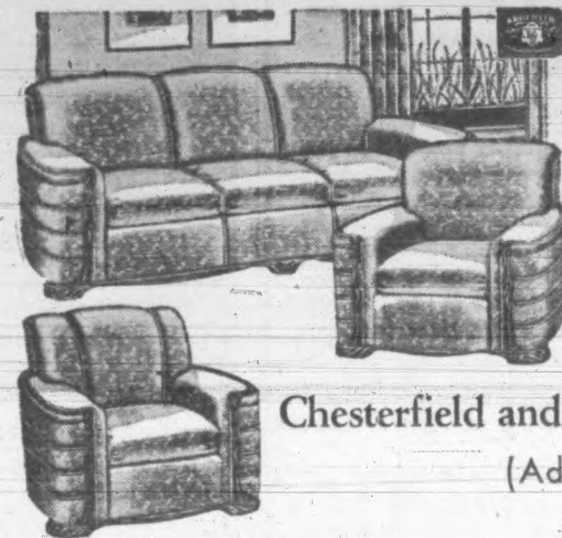
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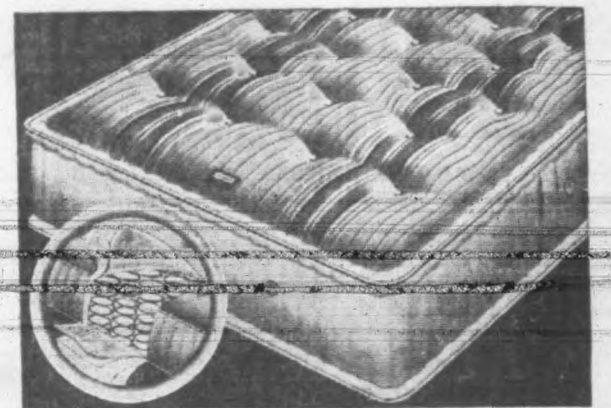
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Army Sgt. Maj. and Mrs. Percy H. Dutton, whose marriage took place recently in London, England. He is the son of Mrs. C. A. Morfitt, 2239 14a Street, and was in the automotive trade in Victoria prior to his enlistment in the R.C.O.C. at Esquimalt on the outbreak of war. He has been in England since November, 1940, and his bride was the former Isabella Jensen, of Holland Park, London. They are making their home at 158 Notting Hill Gate, London.

Business Club's Dinner Saturday

Miss Wilma Zimmerman of Tacoma, president of the Washington State Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will be the guest speaker at the installation dinner of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club at the Empress Hotel Saturday evening at 6.15. Other representatives of mainland clubs will include Mrs. Nydia Case, Puyallup, Wash., and Miss Lulu Fairbanks, Seattle.

Miss May Le Messurier, newly-elected president, with Miss Pedden, will represent the Vancouver club; from New Westminster are coming Miss Helen Grimmer and Miss Dorothy Barges.

Dinner will be served in the Duke of Kent room, after which adjournment will be made to the chintz lounge, where an informal program will be presented.

Tag Day to Aid I.O.D.E. Milk Fund

Dr. C. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., organized many years ago to perpetuate the memory of a famous Victoria surgeon, while supporting the usual endeavors of the order, makes its special work the provision of milk for undernourished children in the city schools. This has been done at the urgent request of the school doctor and nurses, who state that in spite of improved economic conditions there are still many young children in need of this milk today.

The members of this chapter have never failed over a period of 20 years to collect the necessary funds, even during the depression period, to ensure that every child requiring the milk received it. Looking back on their past efforts, the members like to think that the milk given our boys and girls in 1929 made possible the servicemen and women who enlisted in 1939.

This chapter is holding its annual tag day on Saturday, Sept. 4, and makes its appeal with every confidence to the public of Victoria. It would be grateful to anyone willing to help on that day by giving an hour or two of their time for tagging. Any such are requested to telephone the Regent, Mrs. P. E. Corby, E 7718, or by applying in person on the tag day at headquarters, 201 Union Bank Building, View Street, any time after 8 a.m.

Clubwomen

Special meeting Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., to be held Friday morning at 10.30 at headquarters, View Street.

Saanich Women's C.C.F. Council met Tuesday in Woodsworth Hall, when final arrangements were made for the supper and fund-raising event of the night, Friday, Sept. 11, at 6.30 in Woodsworth Hall, 857 Pandora Avenue. Next meeting will be Tuesday at 7.30.

DAD AND SON PRISONERS
LIVERPOOL (CP)—Mrs. Robert Moorcroft isn't worrying about the welfare of her son, George, a prisoner of war in Germany, because "his dad's looking after him." Father and son have been prisoners for more than three years, and the elder knows all the ropes. He was a prisoner for more than three years during the last war.

SAVED TRAIN WRECK
LONDON (CP)—Eleven-year-old Rita Sartain prevented a possible railway accident by climbing over a high wall and removing a 23-pound stone two boys had placed on the railway line.

Evans, Dora Elrich, Betty Dawson, Margaret Leiper, Mona Beech, Ethel Hole and J. George

Personal Notes

Miss Nora Jane Harrison of Vancouver will arrive in Victoria Friday to spend the week-end as the guest of Mrs. J. A. Macdonell, Linden Avenue.

Mrs. Jack W. Danglefield, the former Nan Eve of Victoria, has returned to her home in Halifax, N.S., where her husband, Lieut. J. W. Danglefield, R.C.N.V.R., is stationed, after visiting her parents in Winnipeg for some weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Race of Seattle are expected here at the weekend with their son, Geo. Pratt Race, who will enter Shawinigan Lake School for Boys. Also coming to the island from Seattle to attend the same school is Blaine Loughery, whose mother, Mrs. Jack Blaine Loughery, will accompany him to Victoria.

Frl. Lieut. and Mrs. Kirby A. Hercher have returned to Vancouver after holidaying at Shawinigan Lake at the summer home of Mrs. Cattrell's parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Cattrell, Victoria. They have spent a month at the last week by her husband, who has been taking a brief course at Patricia Bay.

Capt. and Mrs. C. Murray Cree, formerly of Victoria, entertained at a dinner party at the Hotel Vancouver Thursday evening in farewell to Commodore W. J. R. Beech, and to welcome Sub-Lt. Esme Mutter Day, W.R.C.N.S., who arrived from the east last week to take over her duties as commanding officer of the Vancouver Wrens.

A delightful birthday party was held Saturday last for Valerie Potter in celebration of her ninth birthday at her home, 1507 Laurel Lane. The little guests were Misses Elizabeth Oliver, Susan Burton, Jill Tatlow, Doreen Woods, Marie Murdoch, Virginia Bailey, Doreen Larson, Diana Grant, Jacqueline Sisson, Louise Hamilton, Josephine Fisher, Margaret Molson and Enne Peterson. Many games were played during the afternoon and later all the guests sat down to the birthday tea, during which they enjoyed finding their fortunes in the small cakes. The birthday cake was beautifully decorated. After tea a treasure hunt caused much fun as the clues had to be worked out before each guest managed to find her present.

Mrs. Anson D. Mann, who returned recently from Winnipeg, where she spent the summer as the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Hon. Erick F. Willis and Mrs. Willis, opened her home on Linden Avenue Wednesday afternoon for a drawing-room tea held by the members of St. Matthias' W.A. and their friends. The guests were welcomed by the hostess and Mrs. F. J. Brimer, Mrs. H. A. Wilson and Mrs. Burgess Brown. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Spencer H. Elliott and Mrs. L. Dale, while Mrs. H. Rice Jones, Mrs. J. H. Mullard and committee assisted in serving. Ven. F. R. Tait, I.O.D.E., was the guest speaker and gave a most interesting and informative address on the work of the Gordon Indian School at Qu'Appelle, Sask., and spoke most encouragingly of the work done by the Dominion branch of the Anglican W.A.

Mrs. H. Rocke Robertson and her two children, Tammas and Ian, left Tuesday for the mainland en route for her home in Montreal after spending the summer months in Victoria, visiting her husband's parents, Hon. Mr. Justice Harold B. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson, St. Charles Street.

Sgt. Flight Engineer Arthur C. Rudolph, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Rudolph, with their small son, Gerry, have arrived in Vancouver from a west coast base and are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Higginbotham, West Seventh. Mrs. Rudolph is the former Patricia Sanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald L. Sanford, West Sixteenth. Before returning to their home they will visit Mrs. Rudolph's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sanford, in Victoria.

Mrs. Lowell P. Mickelwait, who with her children, Anne, Semmes and Christie, have been holidaying in the summer home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Semmes, "Robinwood," Uplands, Victoria, returned to the city last week. Her husband, Mr. Lowell P. Mickelwait, is a member of the Victoria branch of the R.C.O.C.

Miss Jill Lloyd Young was guest of honor at a party arranged by the Misses Alison Chrow and Elsie Jenkins for members of the Robert Burns McKicking Chapter, I.O.D.E. It was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfrid Johns, 1515 Despard Avenue. The bride-to-be was presented on her arrival with a corsage bouquet of peach roses and white heather, and later was the recipient of a silver cake basket engraved with the I.O.D.E. emblem. The bride-elect is the present regent of the R. B. McKicking Chapter. Refreshments were served from a table covered with a cut-work and lace cloth and centred with an arch of pale pink sweet peas, under which stood a miniature bride and groom. Tall ivory tapers in crystal holders lighted the table.

Mrs. Ainslie Helmecken and her daughter, Miss Mary Helmecken, entertained at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening at her home on Moss Street in compliment to Miss Jean Tinker, who is to be married to Pte. John Albert Richardson, R.C.O.C., this month. The many attractive gifts were presented to the bride-to-be in a dainty floral basket of crepe paper, covered in tiny sprays of fresh sweet peas and stocks in pink, mauve and white. She also received a corsage bouquet of Ophelia roses and white swainsons, while corsage bouquets of pink carnations and mauve sweet peas were presented to the two mothers, Mrs. A. Tinker and Mrs. G. R. Richardson, who poured tea. The table was centred with a pretty arrangement of pink snapdragons, asters and roses in a crystal bowl, with lighted pink tapers. Assisting the hostesses in serving were the bride's sisters, Mrs. E. Coton and Miss Hilda Tinker, together with Mrs. T. A. Brown and Mrs. Harold B. Elworthy. About 30 guests were present.

Major and Mrs. Leonard Andrews of Ottawa, who left Victoria Tuesday evening for Vancouver, were guests of honor when Mr. and Mrs. C. Dewey Anderson entertained in the mainland city Thursday evening. In the morning Mrs. Fred. Kirkland gave a coffee party for Mrs. Andrews.

Mrs. Hattie Locke left this afternoon for Vancouver to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Stafford Meldrum, which will take place Friday afternoon. She will be accompanied by their niece, Miss Barbara Meldrum, and Miss Lucy Barr. They will spend the week-end on the mainland.

Miss Josephine Flack, September bride-elect, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening, when Miss Doris Wakeham and Miss Sylvia Grist were joint hostesses at the home of the latter, Estevan Avenue. The bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of gardenias and mauve heather, and with many gifts from a box of friends. Her mother, Mrs. J. B. Flack, and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. W. F. Bartlett, received shoulder sprays of rose carnations. Games were enjoyed, and Mrs. O. M. Wakeham played several piano selections.

An extra lace cloth covered the supper table, centred with a silver bowl of pink and white sweet peas and gypsophila, flanked with pink tapers in silver holders. A miniature bride and groom completed the appointments. Assisting in serving were Misses Dorothy Adams and Olive Turner. Other guests included Mesdames R. J. Muir, C. M. Osborne, M. A. Gibson, E. Carson, R. Taylor, R. H. Adams, R. Harrison, H. King, G. Twamley, J. Fortin, E. W. Tanner, M. W. Dawson, D. Smart, J. W. Grist, A. S. Blaney, A. Struvel, and the Misses Margaret Vey, Rita Gibson, Betty Johnston, Phyllis Mills, Eleanor Houston, Alma Houston, Norma Brennan, Lorna Irish, Joan Rogers, Gwen



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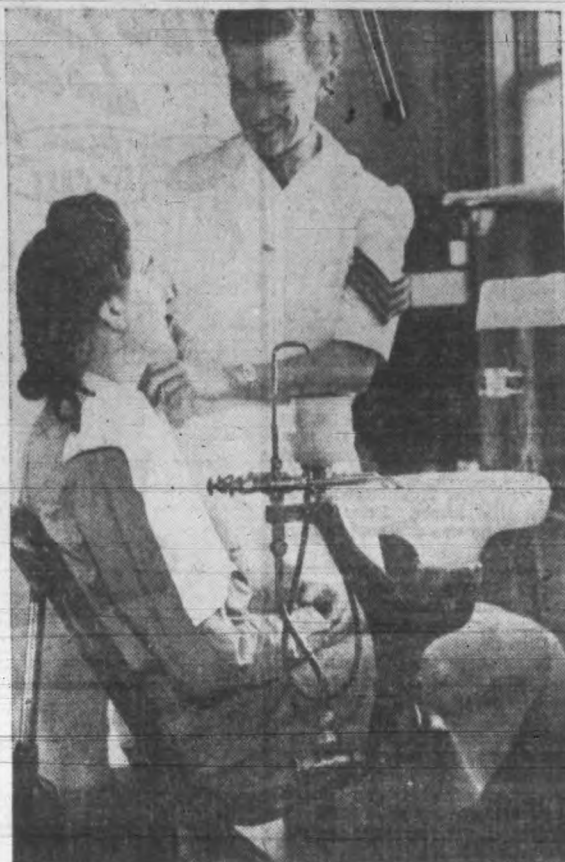
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At Gordon Head



Sgt. Helen Tyner, C.W.A.C., who is attached to the Canadian Dental Corps at Gordon Head, prepares Sgt. Crawford of No. 1 Coy., for the dentist's services. Sgt. Tyner is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tyner, of Prince George, B.C. Before enlisting in the service she was employed in a dental office in Prince George and later in Vancouver. While in Vancouver she was among the first to join the Canadian Women's Ambulance Corps and joined the Canadian Women's Army Corps in June, 1942, since which time she has been attached to the Canadian Dental Corps as dental assistant. Sgt. Tyner has a brother-in-law serving with the R.C.E. in England.

Short Supplies May Disappoint Shoppers Seeking Rationed Jams

Rationing of jams, jellies, canned fruits and nine other sweetbreads, coupons for which became valid today, will not necessarily mean that everyone will get their ration, an official of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board office stated today, and opinion is divided among food store managers as to the number of their customers they will be able to serve.

"Rationing does not guarantee delivery to everyone but it will mean an equitable distribution of those goods in short supply," the official said. "It will prevent some people going from store to store obtaining as much of the marmalade and jam which they can get. Once they have used their coupons they cannot get any more."

Items rationed are jams, jellies, marmalades, extracted fruits, molasses, fountain fruits, extracted honey, apple, maple and honey butters, canned fruit, maple, corn and cane syrups and any blended table syrup. Each person will be entitled to use two coupons a month; each coupon worth 10 ounces.

NOT ENOUGH FOR ALL

Manager of one large food department stated that he would be able to place very little jam and corn syrup on his shelves, Thursday, first day of the rationing.

"About 200 customers are all I could serve, for I have nothing but jam and corn syrup, the jam in four-pound containers and the syrup in 3½-pound containers," he said. "I have no tinned fruit or any of the other items that were rationed under the new order."

One Victoria concern has its entire new pack of jam in four-pound containers, he stated, and added that the large families could get served but a man and wife would have to save a number of their coupons before they could obtain jam.

"All food quotas have been drastically cut," he continued as he said he did not know when he might expect shipments of other rationed commodities mentioned.

"The Department of Munitions and Supply has told the canners and packers to hold 25 per cent of their peas, beans, corn, spinach and pumpkin; 50 per cent of their canned tomatoes, apricots, cherries, peaches, plums and pears, and 38 per cent of their tomato juice."

Of a different opinion, however, was another store manager, who claimed that there would be enough of everything for all his customers.

"I have some four-pound tins of jam, 32-ounce bottles of marmalade, 3½-pound jars of syrup and a little canned fruit," he said. "I will be able to give everybody something."

"BLITZ" HEROINE HONORED

LONDON (CP)—Britain's first woman fireguard to win the George Medal, Mrs. Marion Patterson, 31-year-old Aberdeen hairdresser, has had her portrait in oils hung at an exhibition showing Allied leaders and other famous statesmen. The picture shows Mrs. Patterson, who rescued a sailor from a bombed building as she was leaving the building, and in the background can be seen first aid men tending the rescued man. She has a 10-year-old son living in Canada.



DIETRICH'S DAUGHTER A BRIDE—The bride looks up at her husband. The bride is Marie Elizabeth, daughter of screen star Marlene Dietrich, and her husband is Dean Goodman, young actor-playwright, formerly a University of Washington student. This picture was taken when the couple made their first public appearance after their surprise wedding and the bride wore a gold and ruby wrist watch, given her as a wedding present by her famed mother.

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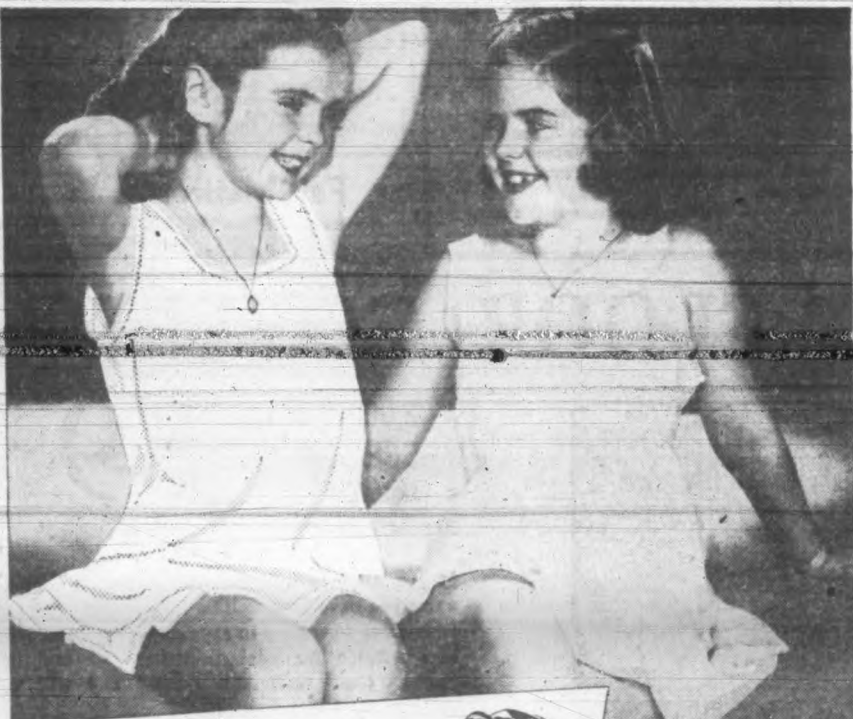


Shows Nazi Lies
LONDON (CP) At Prime Minister Churchill's suggestion British film is being made contrasting shots showing the might of the United Nations with portions

of the German film, "Baptism of Fire," which the Nazis used to intimidate neutrals.
The octopus may drag together boulders to make a nestlike lair in which to wait for prey.

Vegetables should be used as soon after gathering as possible; practically all, with the exception of potatoes, lose something in flavor, tenderness or crispness on standing.

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Fine Community Spirit Makes Sooke Fair Success

(Staff Special)

SOOKE VILLAGE — Farmers and their wives and children of this pleasant sea-girt agricultural land on the southern tip of Vancouver Island displayed the produce of their soil and the handicraft of their kitchens Wednesday afternoon and evening when the Farmers' Institute staged the first fall fair held in the district in 23 years.

The exhibition, small but compact, was voted an outstanding success. It was held in the dining room of Sooke's big white community hall, and several hundred people, including a number from Victoria, inspected the giant vegetables and the gleaming bottles of preserved fruits and vegetables. The Victorians, looking at the tempting fruits of farm labors resolved, as they always do when they attend a country fair, that they would go farming when they retire and grow vegetables and raise poultry.

OFFICIAL OPENING

The fair was opened by J. B. Munro, deputy minister of agriculture, representing the minister, Hon. K. C. Macdonald. Mr. Munro congratulated the exhibitors and praised their community spirit.

"The quality is good all the way through," he said and he made particular mention of the work of the children, who entered seven fine exhibits.

"I have been greatly surprised at the excellence of the exhibits," he said. "It is to your credit that you have been able to do so well this year, a year when farming has not been easy."

He made special mention of the seedling apple grown by Wm. Lock, old-time farmer of Sooke, who planted seeds from a Wealthy apple 10 years ago and picked about 100 apples from the tree this year. Mr. Munro sug-

gested the apple might be called a Sooke Seedling; he urged other farmers to follow Mr. Lock's example and do a little experimenting on their own, without waiting for the government.

"Who knows," he said, "but that there might be another Burbank among you."

Sooke, he said, is noted for the excellence of its Swede turnips, which stand out ahead, in quality if not in quantity, of practically every other district of British Columbia.

"I think this fair proves the people of Sooke, as a whole, have taken a great interest in this community project," Mr. Munro said.

A \$10 prize for the best collection of seven distinct vegetables and potatoes went to Arthur Glinz of Woodside Farm. Second was Mrs. K. Grainger, and C. McCullagh was in third place. Second prize was \$5 and third \$3.

The children's vegetable exhibition, for seven distinct vegetables and potatoes, was won by Warren Shields, with Joan Rumsby second and Laurie Wilson third. The prizes were \$10, \$5 and \$3.

PRESERVES

Florence Shields won the \$5 prize for the best collection of bottled fruits and vegetables and Mrs. L. Pontious was second, winning the \$3 prize.

Mr. Glinz, president of the Farmers' Institute, and Selwyn Simons, secretary, won many prizes in the general vegetable section. Mr. Simons took first prizes for peaches, beets, Brussels sprouts; while Mr. Glinz won first with his Swede turnips, celery and lettuce. Mr. Simons won the Colonist cup, for most points in the general exhibition of garden produce, closely followed by Mr. Glinz. Mr. Lock took first with his cauliflower; A. Anderson for cabbage; Mrs. J. Galant and Mrs. E. P. Jenner for

carrots; Alan Smith for mangels; W. Lock for cherries; E. Welsh for green peas; Mrs. Jenner for egg plums; Mrs. Hewlett for pears and onions; Mrs. Carter for strawberries; J. H. Wilkes for early potatoes; and Mrs. Carter for late potatoes; C. McCullagh for citron; A. Spragg for bush beans and parsnips; J. Martin for corn; Mrs. E. P. Jenner for cucumbers; E. Welsh for marrows.

Mrs. Alan Smith won first place for her delicious home-made bread, with Mrs. Curren second. Mrs. E. P. Jenner won prizes for her home-made butter and cottage cheese. Mrs. M. Schreiber won prizes for the finest mixed flowers and a display of gladioli. Miss Gladys Craigie won first for her flower display.

The children of Sooke proved they are proficient in jobs other than farming. Ernie Constant won first prize for his handicraft and Joan Rumsby was first with her attractive, warm patchwork quilt.

J. J. Woods, superintendent of the Dominion Government's experimental farm at Saanichton, judged the general vegetable and fruit section and Mrs. M. A. Foulds, home economist expert for the B.C. Electric, judged the preserves and bread. Both admitted their task was not easy, with so much excellence.

Among the exhibitors was bearded A. M. D. Fairbairn, recently retired as private secretary at Government House and now a permanent resident of Sooke, on a lovely piece of property running down to the water. Mr. Fairbairn entered a display and won a prize for his potatoes; his wife says she is afraid he will become so interested in growing vegetables that he will be unable to find time to continue his painting.

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VICTORIANS
G. Hamilton Harman, vice president of Victoria Chamber of Commerce and vice-president of Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, who makes a happy practice of attending country fairs anywhere within 50 miles of Victoria, attended and brought with him three of the chamber's directors: Kenneth C. Drury, editor of the Victoria Times; J. Emerson Neely and W. T. Straith, M.L.A. Others who came from Victoria included L. B. Bing and his son, Mrs. W. T. Straith, P. Fleming, head of Island Farms Ltd., Mrs. J. B. Munro, Mrs. Ann Waldon, who is visiting Victoria from Los Angeles; E. W. White, department of agriculture horticulturist, who judged the



Lieut. G. A. Victor Thomson, R.C. N.V.R., Victoria, has graduated from a command course at an eastern Canadian port. He is a graduate of U.B.C. and provincial Normal School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomson, 2730 Blackwood Street. Prior to enlistment he was a school teacher here.

Sooke victory garden contest; Jas. Cotton, retired Winnipeg banker, who now makes his home in Victoria.

In all there were 223 exhibits, including 28 exhibits of potatoes, 14 of carrots, nine of onions, 20 of beans, and 12 of marrows. Marrows and cabbages were enormous, showing the fertility of the Sooke soil. Tomatoes were red and shiny, proving Sooke gets not an undue amount of mist and fog, as some people seem to think.

The fair was a culmination of the recent Victory Garden competition and was so successful that plans are already being laid to hold another next year. It will be bigger and better, members of the Farmers' Institute say, and it is hoped livestock may be included.

The Institute is grateful to those who provided prize monies: Buckfield's Limited; the Hudson's Bay Company; David Spence Limited; Scott and Peden; Northwestern Creamery; Royal Dairy; B.C. Electric Railway Company; Diggon-Hibben Limited; The Times and The Colonist.

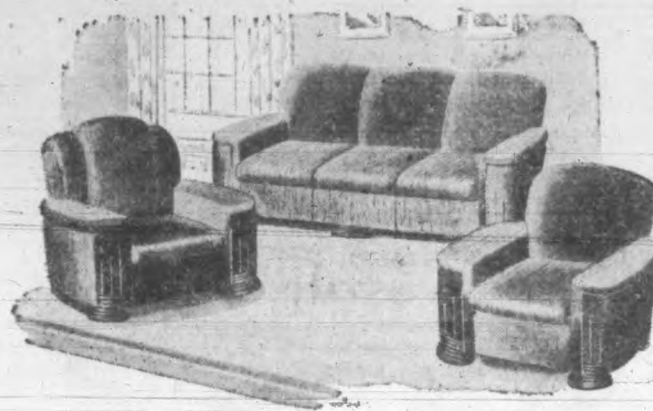
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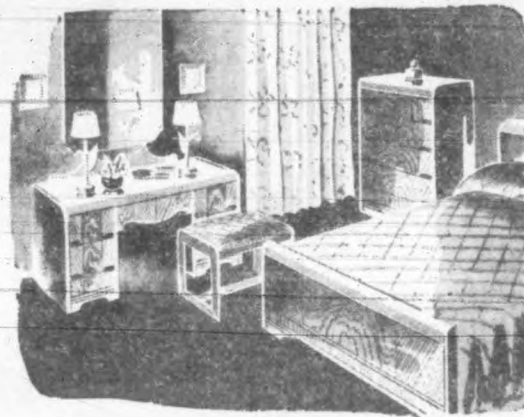


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EXTRACT, STAFFORD'S, artificial, Vanilla, Lemon and Almond, 1-lb. bottle	8 ⁰⁰
DOG FOOD, PARD DEHYDRATED, moisten with milk, water or gravy, 8-oz. packet	12 ⁰⁰
SALT, PURITY, Iodized or Plain, free running, 1-lb. carton	6 ⁰⁰
WAX PAPER, MARVO, keeps food fresh longer, 100-foot roll	17 ⁰⁰
TOILET TISSUE, SNOW WHITE, 4 rolls	23 ⁰⁰
CORN STARCH, DURHAM, for delicious puddings and blanc manget, 1-lb. packet	10 ⁰⁰
FLOOR WAX, O'CEDAR, paste gives a highly-polished, long-lasting finish; 1-lb. tin	39 ⁰⁰

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SPREAD-COAT FLOOR WAX, CHAM, self-polishing, non-slippery, pint bottle	53 ⁰⁰	Quart bottle	93 ⁰⁰
MAGICAL CLEANER, CHAMP, cut grease, cleans dirt, 11-oz. packet	12 ⁰⁰		
LUX FLAKES, for all time laundering, large packet	22 ⁰⁰		
OXYDOL, keeps clothes white and so on bright, large packet	23 ⁰⁰		
TOILET SOAP, CANAY, leaves skin soft and smooth	2	11 ⁰⁰	

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ALL-PURPOSE Five Roses, Robin Hood, Family

5-lb. sack	79 ⁰⁰
40-lb. sack	1 ⁴⁹

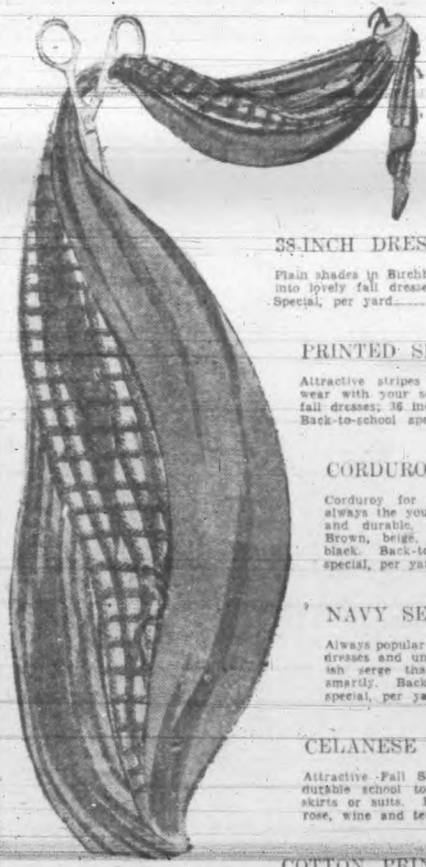
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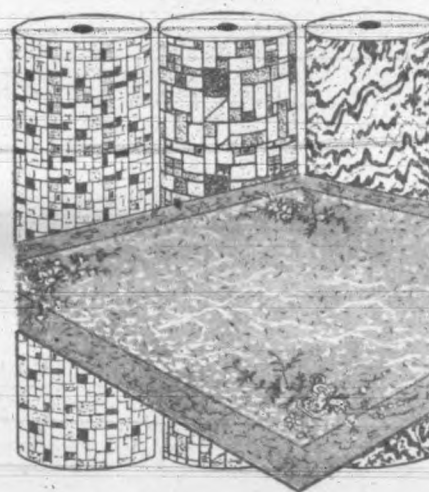
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Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA (CP) — Issuance Tuesday night by defence headquarters of the 13th official list of Canadian (Active) Army casualties in the Sicilian campaign, containing 102 names, brings to 1,247 the total of Canadian casualties in Sicily thus far made public.

The list follows:

KILLED IN ACTION

New Brunswick Regiment — Capt. Thos. Southall Porter, Saint John, N.B.; Lieut. Joseph Beverley Starr, Wolfville, N.S.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps — Maj. Robert Richard Taylor, Calgary.

WOUNDED

Infantry — Lieut. Geoffrey Nigel Carfrae Campbell, London, Ont.; Capt. Ian Albert Hodson, Vancouver.

British Columbia Regiment — Lieut. William Richard Hyndman, Vancouver; Lieut. William Harold Melhuish, Vancouver.

KILLED IN ACTION

Infantry — Act. C.M.S. John Frank Stevens, Vancouver.

Eastern Ontario Regiment — Pte. Charles Percival Bedborough, Cherry Valley, Ont.; Pte. John Edward Bertrand, Colborne, Ont.; L.Cpl. Michael O'Leary, Fort Erie, Ont.; Act. L.Sgt. Ernest Johnson, Peterborough, Ont.; Act. L.Cpl. Cecil Edwin McCormick, Trenton, Ont.

British Columbia Regiment — Pte. Paul Piccas, New Westminster.

Alberta Regiment — Pte. Harry Atkinson, Grange-over-Sands, Eng.; Pte. Edward Roy Baxter, Burnaby, B.C.; Pte. James Alexander Cameron, Edmonton, Alta.; Pte. Dick Gill, Spirit River, Alta.; Pte. Varley Stevens Hallett, Marsden, Sask.; Pte. Harold James Lasky, Vegreville, Alta.

Royal Canadian Army Service Corps — Pte. William Klein, Champion, Alta.

Alberta Regiment — Cpl. Frederick Henry Smith, High Prairie, Alta.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Infantry — Pte. Gervase Rendell, Florence, N.S.

Eastern Ontario Regiment — Pte. Reginald Lawrence, New Southgate, London, Eng.

New Brunswick Regiment — Pte. James Newton, Sandwich, Ont.

British Columbia Regiment — Cpl. William Stanley Beads, Vancouver.

DIED

Royal Canadian Artillery —

Sgt. George John Jack, St. Vital, Man.

Royal Canadian Engineers — Spr. Edwin Cowley, Ottawa.

DIED (DROWNED)

Canadian Armored Corps — Tr. Maurice Stoleson Fitch, Quill Lake, Sask.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

Infantry — Pte. Armand Pitre, Valleyfield, Que.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Central Ontario Regiment — Sgt. Charles Birnie Fraser, Toronto, Ont.

WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps — Tr. Frederick George Bindon, Verdun, Que.; Sgt. James Percy Gawley, Toronto.

Royal Canadian Artillery — Pte. John Ashley, Montreal; Gnr. Patrick Alfred Best, Montreal; Act. L.Sgt. Edward Burgess, Haddon, Sask.; L.Sgt. Andrew Guthrie Ingram, Murray River, P.E.I.; Gnr. Irvin Larocque, Penticton, B.C.

Royal Canadian Engineers — Spr. Paul Henri Lachance, Quebec, Que.; Spr. Raymond Christopher McPherson, Monte Lake, B.C.; Spr. Lionel Mainville, Casselman, Ont.; Spr. Herbert Knox Moore, Saint John, N.B.; Act. Cpl. Victor Lars Sandberg, Port Arthur, Ont.

Royal Canadian Corps of Signals — Sgt. John Henry Davey, Vancouver.

Infantry — Pte. John Bobby, Winnipeg Beach, Man.; Pte. Gaston Cossette, Hervey Jet, Que.; Pte. Ovide Demers, Verdun, Que.; Pte. John Bennett Hoesgood, Port William, Ont.; Pte. Leo Lemay, Warwick, Que.; Pte. Ovide Litalien, Montreal; Pte. Cleophas Pelletier, Barre, Que.; Pte. Albert Perras, Montreal; Pte. John Rarie, Winnipeg; Pte. Lionel Thomas, St. Epiphane, Que.

Western Ontario Regiment — Gnr. Joseph Gny, Canora, Sask.

Central Ontario Regiment — Pte. George Carl Bassman, Toronto; Act. Cpl. Leonard Burt, Toronto; Pte. Gordon Carr, Toronto; Cpl. Francis Norman Catt, Kenton, England; Pte. George Peter Christopher, Port Colborne, Ont.; Pte. Albert Beaconsfield Clarke, Bismark, Ont.; Pte. Geo. Coomb, Toronto; Pte. Albert Edward Dandridge, Mimico, Ont.; Pte. James Allen Fraser, Toronto; Pte. William Charles Gordon, Toronto; Pte. Eugene Joseph Hatley, Toronto; Pte. Stanley Harry Knight, Toronto; Pte. Gordon Lake, Toronto; Pte. Joseph Simon Lambert, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Pte. Reginald Clarence Robinson, Hamilton; Pte. Arthur Trudelle, Kensington, Eng.

Eastern Ontario Regiment — Pte. Robert Harvey Bradford, Kingston, Ont.; Act. Cpl. Allan Charles Charbonneau, Mackay, Station, Ont.; Pte. Douglas John Holmes, Lakefield, Ont.; Pte. Claude Leslie Juby, Demarestville, Ont.; Pte. Patrick William Mathew O'Connor, Windsor, Ont.; Pte. Albert John Sauve, Cornwall, Ont.; Pte. Ronald, Fred Schroeder, Calgary; Pte. Sidney Arthur White, Sandwich, Ont.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment — Sgt. Charles Aubrey Deal, Lunenburg, N.S.

New Brunswick Regiment — Act. Cpl. Harold Robert Chase, Saint John, N.B.; Pte. Gilford Reid Elliott, Foster Rock, N.B.; R.QMS. Charles Henry Webb, Woodstock, N.B.; Pte. Charles Francis White, Victoria Mills, N.B.

British Columbia Regiment — Pte. Cecil Douglas Ballard, Vancouver; Pte. James Lawrence Beads, Vancouver; Pte. William Jr. Cruickshank, Burnaby, B.C.; Pte. Robert Alexander Ewart, Merritt, B.C.; Act. L.Cpl. Reginald Leslie Flett, Vancouver; Pte. Harold Larsen, McKay, Alta.; Pte. James Howard Sisson, Vancouver; Pte. John Stewart, Agassiz, B.C.; Pte. Frederick Harvey White, Calgary.

Alberta Regiment — Pte. Victor Gordon Mew, Chauvin, Alta.; Pte. Claude Andrew Townsend, Pickardville, Alta.

Royal Canadian Army Service Corps — Pte. Elymer Sweet, Hamilton.

Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps — Act. Cpl. James Knowles Gray, Toronto; Pte. Albert Omer Turcotte, Alonsa, Man.

Canadian Provost Corps — L. Cpl. Edgar Harper Campbell, Toronto; Pte. Peter Morris, Cal-



CAPTURES TWO NAZIS—Pte. Lewis Coutlee, of Barriefield army camp, captured two of the Nazi fugitives from Fort Henry, Ont., single-handed and unarmed. "The jig's up," he told them, jumping between them and locking his arms through theirs. After he told them they were surrounded by 500 soldiers, the Germans walked with him half a mile back to camp in the dark.

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Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps — CSM. John Stackhouse, London, Ont.

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City Voters' List Registration Opens

Registration of voters for the civic elections next December opened at the City Hall Wednesday and will continue for the next two months.

Paul William Carrier, Normand Apartments, was the first to list his name.

Only British subjects who have passed their 21st birthday are entitled to the franchise.

To qualify, they must meet certain conditions.

Automatically listed are property owners, persons who have registered in their name, or are holders of a registered agreement for sale of real property of an assessed value of at least \$100, as at Oct. 31.

Householders, that is non-property owners, must have resided in the city since the first of the year and must have paid their \$2 road tax and \$5 poll for the current year, unless they are subject to exemption from one or both. Generally, those claiming exemptions must register each year.

Licenses, persons or corporations holding trade licenses, must register in the first instance, but if their names were on the roll last year and their licenses remain in good standing for the current term, they are listed automatically.

'Y' Camp Saturday

Registration is still open for the Y.M.C.A. week-end camp to be held at Glinz Lake, Sooke Hills, Sept. 4, 5 and 6. Young people who enjoy camping are invited to make enquiries at the 'Y' desk. Transportation will be arranged for those who have no cars or bicycles.

The 'Y' Social Education Committee, under the chairmanship of Alma Malcolm, has planned a program of hikes, dancing, sports and other outdoor activities that will provide entertainment for the campers throughout the three days.

Campers are asked to bring their own rations of tea, coffee, butter and sugar. The fee for members is \$2.25, for nonmembers \$2.50.

Pulp Material Plant Planned in Victoria

Establishment of a chipping plant to supply material for pulp mills is under way here by the International Pulpwood Supply Company, an extra-provincial company with registered offices at 1318 Standard Bank Building, Vancouver, according to a letter received today from Lawson and Davis, solicitors, for the concern here.

The letter is in the form of an application for an easement to erect a conveyor over a portion of Harbor Road.

The company's investment, the letter states, will represent between \$100,000 and \$125,000 and between 12 and 14 men will be employed.

It seeks a location on C.N.R. land on Harbor Road together with foreshore lots at the location.

The application for the easement asks that the conveyor be allowed on the ground over the unconstructed section of Harbor Road, with the provision it be raised to a height approved by the city engineer if the roadway is developed in the future.

3 Island Airmen Now Presumed Dead

Three island boys previously reported missing while on active air operations are now, for official purposes, presumed dead, according to the 669th R.C.A.F. casualty list.

They are PO John Philip Monckton, Royal Oak; Sgt. Robert Lloyd Dickie, Duncan, and Sgt. Robert Richmond Moore, also of Duncan.

Monckton, son of P.M. Monckton, Royal Oak, enlisted in the R.C.A.F. in May, 1941. He was educated at Mt. Newton High School and Victoria College.

Dickie, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dickie, 63 Ypres Street, Duncan, was reported missing in January after seven months overseas. He took part in some of the war's most devastating air raids over enemy territory.

Moore's mother, Mrs. R. H. Moore, resides at 1086 Nagle Street, Duncan.

Job Reservations Urged for Veterans

Support of A.M. Archie Willis' position regarding appointments to the civic staffs is expressed in a letter from the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., received at the City Hall today.

"Having clear in mind the situation which developed throughout this country during and after the last war—the many promises made and as quickly forgotten in the matter of employment of those who properly did their duty—the Canadian Legion is determined to do all in its power to prevent history repeating," the letter said.

"This zone council, therefore," it continues, "heartily supports and lauds Alderman Willis on his stand in this matter, and urges the City Council, before any dangerous precedents are created, to at once adopt the policy that during and after the war all appointments to the civic service be of a temporary nature only, excepting those to which veterans of this or the last war may be appointed."

Shrine Potentate Banquet Guest

The important work being done for crippled children in Shrine-supported hospitals throughout the North American continent was reviewed by Morley E. MacKenzie, Imperial Potentate, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, at a dinner given in his honor Wednesday evening by Victoria nobles.

Dr. Adam T. Neer, Illustrious Potentate, Gizeh Temple, Vancouver, presided at the Empress Hotel function.

The San Francisco and Philadelphia hospitals were now self-supporting and others were gradually climbing to that position, Mr. MacKenzie stated.

Over 600,000 in Canada, the United States and Mexico are members of the A.A.O.N.M.S., and a great increase in membership is expected this year, the Imperial Potentate told the nobles.

Other speakers were: Past Potentates Dr. F. M. Bryant and Harry Rawlings; Noble D. L. Grogan and George Green, chairman of the Gizeh band.

The visiting ladies, Mrs. MacKenzie and Mrs. W. R. Shaw, were entertained at dinner at the Oak Bay Hotel, given by Mrs. Ed. Williams, Mrs. George Green and Mrs. George I. Warren.

Mr. MacKenzie and W. R. Shaw today visited the Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay and were entertained at luncheon by E. W. McMullin, president of the Solarium.

This afternoon the Shrine visitors were fishing at Brentwood, Alderman Ed. Williams, George I. Warren and other nobles acted as guides.

Soviet Paper Urges Turkey Join Allies

MOSCOW (AP) — The latest issue of the Soviet magazine, War and the Working Class, in an article titled "Who Gains From the Neutrality of Turkey?" said "the neutrality of Turkey becomes increasingly more favorable and necessary to Germany."

The magazine said "Turkey secures the safety of the Balkan flank of the German armies and allows the Germans to continue to hold very limited forces there and concentrate the overwhelming part of the German troops on the Soviet-German front."

The article asserted that when Germany is treasuring all her army divisions, her final defeat could be accelerated if Turkey would abandon her neutrality and throw in her lot with the Allies.

BANK OF CANADA STATEMENT

OTTAWA (CP) — Dominion government deposits decreased \$634,000 to \$62,173,000 during the week ended Sept. 1, the Bank of Canada reports today in its weekly statement of assets and liabilities.

Chartered bank deposits increased \$10,531,000 to \$313,957,000 and notes in circulation increased \$8,416,000 to \$797,924,000.

Mt. View High School

The principal will be in his office from 10 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. on September 4 and 6, to enroll pupils not previously registered at a Spanish school.

On September 7 the pupils will report as follows:

Grades 8 and 9	9 a.m.
Grade 10	10 a.m.
Grades 11 and 12	11 a.m.

TOWN TOPICS

Centennial United Church Choir will resume practices tonight at 8.

Monthly meeting of the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society will be held tonight at 8 at City Hall.

Saanich firemen Wednesday afternoon extinguished a blaze in an unused shed on the Rowland estate, Tillicum Road near Carey. Firemen said the blaze was apparently started by boys.

Sgt. Edward Kenneth White, Victoria, is reported missing on active service, according to the 669th R.C.A.F. casualty list issued today. His father, H. E. White, resides at 317 Stewart Avenue, View Royal.

Guilt of failing to give hand signals, three motorists, paid \$5 fines in city police court today. One driver was fined \$15 for speeding and another was fined \$5 for having no driver's license. Three were fined \$2.50 for over-parking and one pedestrian paid \$1 for disobeying a traffic signal. Bail of \$25 was estreated when a man, charged with being drunk on Belleville Street early today, failed to appear in court.

One permit for a new home and another, for a freight shed alteration were among those granted by the city building inspector's department today. The home, a five-room \$3,450 structure is being built at 2617 Belmont for A. H. Cassidy. The freight shed alteration, costing \$1,000, is being carried out for the E. N. Railway. Wednesday two \$500 permits were issued, one for reshingling 2121 Sayward Avenue, the other for improvements to a bake shop at 759 Yates.

Prospects Good For North Development

Prospects for developing natural resources of northern British Columbia were exceptionally good, Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, said today on his return from the Peace River area.

"Coal and other minerals undoubtedly are present in vast quantities in the Peace River areas connected by the new Peace River bridge," Mr. Anscomb said. "All that needs is opening up. There will be room for many thousands more people in our province."

Three survey parties which went out this summer to study the most feasible route for a B.C. coastal connection with the Alaska Military Highway have returned and are now examining their findings, the minister said. They will report to the provincial government.

At Fort St. John Mr. Anscomb attended the opening earlier this week of the new \$1,500,000 bridge across the Peace River. The U.S. constructed the bridge as a military project.

Woman, Sailor Fined \$50 In Liquor Permit Cases

A civilian woman and a sailor pleaded guilty in city police court today of having more than one liquor permit. Each was fined \$50.

Rita Marie Bissonette, according to the statement of Detective Henry Jarvis, had three permits in her purse turned in at city police headquarters. The permits were in the names of R. H. Bissonette, Mrs. R. M. DeLisle and Mrs. Rita Bissonette, he said.

The sailor, Robert A. Faloner, according to Prosecutor C. L. Harrison, had two permits. All permits were confiscated.

Victoria May Raise \$15,000 for China

With only four more days of the national campaign to go the Chinese War Relief Fund in Victoria is well past the \$10,000 mark, with the chance in sight of reaching \$15,000, self-imposed quota for the city.

The fund has now reached \$10,250, with the \$1,000 voted by the city still to be added. The office at 706 Fort Street will remain open for contributions until Sept. 6.

The Committee for Medical Aid for China has donated \$200 to the fund, with an additional \$80 from its members.

Gets Medal Clasp

Bty. Sgt. Maj. John Atkin, serving with an R.C.A. anti-tank regiment, has been awarded a First Class to his Canadian Effort Medal.

His wife, Mrs. Ruth Atkin, and three children, reside at 232 Superior Street.

Sgt. Maj. Atkin, who for many years was a member of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, went overseas 14 months ago. He was with the C.P.R. before the war.

Tax Gains Continue, City Land Sales Up

City tax collections, with the due date still a month distant, rolled along on the record-making way, \$14,340 above those for the corresponding period last year, according to figures for the first eight months of 1943 compiled by the assessor collector's department today.

The rosy city revenue picture extended to land department receipts where gains were shown in every department.

In the tax field, collections to the end of August amounted to \$913,892 against \$899,552 for the corresponding 1942 period.

Also encouraging, although below those of last year, were collections of arrears. This year the city had \$208,568 outstanding at Jan. 1. Of that sum, \$80,920 has been collected to date. Last year \$262,734 was outstanding and collections during the first eight months amounted to \$98,874.

First penalties for non-payment of current taxes will be applied at the beginning of October. Additions will be made periodically later in the year until a gross 6 per cent is added.

While officials voiced satisfaction with collections, they found grounds for approval in the land sales field. During August total receipts amounted to \$15,410 against \$8,889 for the similar month last year. Last month's total raised the aggregate for the year to date to \$95,049 against \$83,193 at Aug. 31 last year.

During Aug. 31 parcels were sold for \$13,973 against eight for \$2,650 in the corresponding month last year. The monthly figure raised to 184 the number of properties sold since the beginning of the year and boosted sales values to \$60,898. At Aug. 31, 1942, 95 properties had been sold for \$45,350.

War Stamps Sales Total \$1,000

Purchase of War Savings Stamps on the opening day of the druggists' national campaign reached a total of \$1,000 in Victoria, R. V. Jenkin, chairman of the druggists committee here, said today.

British Columbia has set a mark of \$22,000 as its share in the \$300,000 national quota of the campaign. In a similar campaign last year, B.C. topped all other provinces, with Victoria the highest city in Canada on a per capita basis.

To help boost stamp sales there are \$1,000 worth of prizes offered, headed by a refrigerator. To carry out the "vitamin for victory" slogan some stamps are wrapped inside capsules. Money raised from the campaign will be used to purchase surgical and medical supplies for the armed forces.

Return to London

LONDON (CP) — Gen. Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the Imperial general staff, and Air Chief Marshal Sir Charles Portal, chief of the air staff, have returned from the Quebec Conference. It was announced today. Vice-Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, new Allied commander-in-chief in southeast Asia, has also returned.



HERO—Soviet guardsman Dmitri Ostapenko destroyed 15 Nazi tanks in one engagement with his anti-tank rifle. He was decorated as a hero of the Soviet Union.

CANADA PACKERS' REPORT

TORONTO (CP) — Canada Packers' limited realized net profit of \$1,611,418, equal to \$8.08 on each share of stock outstanding, in the fiscal year ended March 25, 1943, compared with \$1,611,465 in the previous fiscal year. This profit resulted from \$189,100,000 in gross sales against sales of \$144,509,000 in the previous year.

Current assets of \$22,547,424 and current liabilities of \$14,341,451 left working capital of \$8,205,973 against \$7,885,069 previously. Bank loans were reduced from \$14,157,782 to \$9,275,263 by a reduction of treasury notes by \$5,000,000 to \$10,800,000.

Maj.-Gen. Panet In City Today

Maj.-Gen. Edouard de Bellefeuille Panet, C.M.G., D.S.O., chief of the department of investigation, Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, is visiting Victoria today for the first time in four years.

He is at the Empress with Mrs. Panet and expects to remain in the city for several days.

"When I come to your delightful city I always have a desire to linger," he laughingly said the general.

"They tell me I'm too old to serve in the army," said Gen. Panet, "so I'm helping to win the war by serving the Canadian Pacific Railway for the railways, you know, are essential to winning the war."

In the 1914-18 war, Gen. Panet went overseas with the 1st Division, served on the 1st Canadian Division staffs, as D.A.A. G. D.A.A. and Q.M.G., was appointed A.Q.M.G. Canadian Corps with rank of temporary lieutenant-colonel in January, 1918. Appointed A.A. and Q.M.G., 4th Canadian Division in May of that year, G.S.O. same division the following year and was elevated to the rank of brigadier-general in February, 1919. He was six times mentioned in dispatches and awarded the Legion d'Honneur. He resigned his commission with the permanent corps November 11, 1919. He served as honorary A.D.C. to Viscount Willingdon and the Earl of Bessborough from 1926 to 1934.

Overnights At Hastings Park

VANCOUVER (CP) — Hastings Park entries, fifth day, Friday, Sept. 3:

First race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, foaled in western Canada, seven furlongs: Brilliant Help 116, Ancient Rites 116, Malzie B. 113, Riverworth 116, Dr. Pook 113, Shastu Chub 116, Jazzy Fay 107, Golden Belt 113, Si Green 116, Sir Broxa 116, Honeyagap 110, Paper Heels 116, Liloade 110, Gordelius 110.

Second race—Claiming, four-year-olds and up, foaled in western Canada, seven furlongs: Super Miss 104, War Weary 108, Welbeck 108, Wingaway 108, Stretch 116, Outmax 113, Nalod 116, Jeff Himself 111, Built Up 110.

Third race—Allowance, two-year-olds, five furlongs: Lady Double 112, Doc McKeon 122, Gallant Simon 110, Laura G. 114, Island Gold 107, Queen Dot 114, Pondo Pete 110, Somers Band 115.

Fourth race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, seven furlongs: Broad Royal 120, Flying Bud 120, The Klondiker 116, Fay Park 110, Steamline 118, Thrush 110, Commandable 120, Colonel Bree 116, Nanafin 110, Watch Tick 113, Van Crystal 114, Miss Noyes 110, Brunsfield 113.

Fifth race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-sixteenth: Corinthian 119, Tuxedo Eddy 114, Risky Play 116, Buck On 116, Ascot June 106, Battleford 106, Beauty Warm 109.

Sixth race—The Sprint Championship, three-year-olds and up, seven furlongs: Getwise 106, Ebony Latch 107, Stevenson Bill 109, Ronico 118, Winnamucca 108, Brig D'O' 120, Killarney L. 113, Edjay 106.

Seventh race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-sixteenth: Silver Fur 113, Britannia 106, Naperton 113, Arab Somers 106, Lady Giovando 103, Lucky Card 111, Taken 113, Dodd 113, John B. 106, Jelseweep 110, Our Haven 110, Booter Billy 113, "Shining Armour 108, Little Dee 103.

Substitute race—Allowance, three-year-olds, seven furlongs: Statford 106, Tyler Gulch 116, Timely Ayre 113, Galamond 104, Special Briar 116, Special Lady 108, Lone Special 113, Groves 109, Dolly Somers 104, Eltorada 108, Flithome 104, Arpeggio 109.

Substitute race—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-sixteenth: Camp Saur 106, Cratfochart 106, Train Signal 113, Valinda Joy 110, Golden wonder 104, Blone Heath 106, My Tome 113, Golden Sable 106, Simonette 107, Masked Revenue 113, Ynomis 106.

Track fast. First post, 3:30 p.m. *Apprentice allowance claimed.

Sailor Bigamy Charge

John Miller Marquis, R.C.N. rating, was charged with bigamy in city police court today. Leonard C. Lytton, J.P., remanded Marquis, who did not plead, for one week and said he would re-arrest him on the charge of bigamy.

The charge read that on May 12, Marquis, already married to Christina Marquis, went through a form of marriage with Jane Anne Stewart.

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A.R.P. Activities

District 7 will meet at Eagles' Hall at 8 tonight. A lecture will be given by Duncan Kennedy, city building inspector, who will deal with air raid shelters, demolition of buildings and effects of various bombs on different constructions.

B.C. Priorities' Chief To Visit Victoria

E. A. Leslie, B.C. regional representative of the priorities branch of the Department of Munitions and Supply, Vancouver, will be in Victoria next Wednesday and Thursday to discuss with interested local firms any priorities matters which they would like to take up with him, particularly in connection with fourth quarter application from class I importers.

Mr. Leslie will be at the office of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, 640 Fort Street, on both days of his visit. Maj. P. T. Stern will arrange appointments with him if he is telephoned at E-4314.

R.A.F. Bombs Yards In Naples Region; Sardinia Plant Hit

By EDWARD KENNEDY
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NORTH AFRICA (AP) — The Allied air offensive against Italy has been largely concentrated on the toe of the peninsula for the past 36 hours and has been carried on mainly by fighters and fighter-bombers, Allied headquarters said today.

R.A.F. Wellingtons, however, returned to the railway targets of Aversa, north of Naples, and scattered two-ton blockbusters Wednesday night, and U.S. fighters stabbed at a zinc factory at Inglesias in southwest Sardinia.

The fighters and fighter-bombers over the southern extremity of the peninsula aimed their blows chiefly at Axis communications and defensive establishments, already shattered by the daily series of forays since the fall of Sicily two weeks ago.

Four-engine bombers and most medium bomber squadrons were held on the ground by bad weather for the first time in weeks.

From the Middle East, British heavy bombers struck at the Axis airfield at Grottaglie, near the Italian naval base of Taranto, in a Tuesday night raid from which all aircraft returned safely, a Cairo announcement said.

(The Italian communiqué today said only limited damage was caused by Allied air raiders in the province of Naples.)

Lord Wright Coming

Lord Wright of Dursley, member of the British House of Lords and the judicial committee of the Privy Council, is scheduled to spend the coming week-end in Victoria.

He is en route to the coast from Winnipeg where he attended the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association as representative of the English bench.

At Vancouver Friday, Lord Wright will be luncheon guest of Chief Justice and Mrs. Wendell Farris and the same evening will be entertained at dinner by the Vancouver Bar Association. The noted jurist will come on to Victoria Saturday.

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Foundry Workers Here to Get Holiday

Within the next few weeks between 2,000 and 3,000 employees of engineering plants in Victoria, Vancouver and West Westminster will be entitled to a week's holiday with pay, it was learned today.

Paid holidays for hourly workers of 37 plants in the three cities were approved by the Regional War Labor Board following representations by the employers and the Moulders and Foundry Workers' Union Local No. 1.

Several of the large firms in Vancouver will close to give all their eligible workers their holidays at the same time, maintaining only skeleton crews for maintenance and much-needed repair work in plants which have been working for months at top speed on war contracts.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON (AP) — The Bank of England weekly condition statement reported an increase of £610,000 in note circulation for week ended Sept. 1, and reflected an almost similar loss in the bank's reserve.

Private deposits decreased £13,004,000, and government securities were down £6,324,000. These losses were partly offset by a gain of more than £4,000,000 in public deposits and a slight increase in other securities.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week was 10.3 per cent, compared with 26.3 per cent the same week a year ago, and 11.5 per cent in the previous week.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL (CP) — Canadian commodity exchange. Spot butter, Quebec 92 scores 22 1/2 to 23 1/2, eggs, western A large 48 to 49. Futures: Butter, Nov. 24 1/2 to 25 1/2. Eggs, 48 to 49.

Represents City Staff

William Black, president of the B.C. Joint Council of Public Employees, has been appointed to represent staffs of the city of Victoria on a commission to draw up a new scale of salaries for recommendation to the city council.

Mr. Black said today the commission expects to begin its labors Sept. 13. Identity of the other two members is not yet known. The commission would be similar to the Brittain-Benough-Winter Commission which surveyed Vancouver pay scales in 1928.

Oak Bay Municipal Employees' Association intends to apply soon for a cost-of-living bonus. Mr. Black also stated. He expects to assist the association in its negotiations.

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NEWS

ENDS TODAY
AT 1.30, 4.30, 6.30, 8.30
**"The Youngest
Profession"**
VIRGINIA WEIDLER
EDWARD ARNOLD

DOMINION

**'Stormy Weather'
Due at Dominion**

Lena Horne, one of the singing
discoveries of the decade, is an
unassuming person both on and
off the screen. Unlike many
other performers Lena, who holds
one of the top featured roles in
20th Century-Fox's musical,
"Stormy Weather," goes in for
the simpler things in life. She
fixes her own shoulder-length
tresses, uses no makeup other
than lipstick and dresses in sim-
ple style.

"Stormy Weather," which opens
Friday at the Dominion Theatre,
casts Bill Robinson and Cab Cal-
loway in featured spots opposite
Miss Horne, Katherine Dunham
and her troupe, Fats Waller and
his orchestra.

**Graphic Sea Story
On Screen at York**

The most graphic story of the
sea since "Mutiny on the
Bounty" comes today to the
York Theatre, where M-G-M's
"Stand By For Action," shows
thrilling depiction of convoy duty
under attack in the Pacific, with
Robert Taylor, Charles Laughton
and Brian Donlevy.

Comedy is mingled in the ex-
citement when 20 babies are
rescued from drifting lifeboats,
forcing the sea fighters to turn
amateur nursemaids between
battles.

ATLAS THEATRE

"Tuddy McDowall," voted the
outstanding juvenile actor of last
year, tops the cast of Mary
O'Hara's "My Friend Flicka," at
the Atlas Theatre with Preston
Foster and Rita Johnson. The
20th Century-Fox film was pro-
duced in gorgeous technicolor.



MARILYN MAXWELL and Robert Taylor in "Stand By For Action,"
now showing at the York Theatre.

Hedley Verity Dies

LONDON (CP)—One of Eng-
land's outstanding cricketers of
the past decade has died of war
wounds. It was announced yester-
day that Capt. Hedley Verity, 38,
famous Yorkshire slow
bowler, died July 31 while a pris-
oner in Italy.

Capt. Verity entered the army
soon after the outbreak of war
and served with distinction in
North Africa.

One of the mainstays of Eng-
land's international teams, the
professional left-arm bowler
played against Australia, South
Africa, New Zealand and West
Indies in test matches since 1931.

**Alan Ladd Starred
In Cadet Spy Story**

The road to Hollywood is paved
with might-have-been careers.
For proof, look at Alan Ladd:
He once mixed malted milks.

Ladd, newest and toughest,
smoothest and suavest of movie
tough guys, is currently scaring
the wits out of audiences at the
Cadet Theatre in Paramount's
thriller about Nazi spies and sa-
boteurs, "Lucky Jordan," with
lovely Helen Walker, sinister
Sheldon Leonard, blonde Marie
McDonald and a host of others in
the cast.

**Berlin Adventure
Thriller at Rio**

Mona Maris and Martin Kos-
leck, who earned high praise for
their performances as a Nazi
official and his secretary in
"Underground" last year are
teamed again in similar roles in
"Berlin Correspondent," the 20th
Century-Fox thriller at the Rio
Theatre today.

Heading the cast are Virginia
Gilmore and Dana Andrews. The
film was produced by Bryan Foy
and directed by Eugene Forde

Where To Go Tonight

ATLAS—"My Friend
Flicka," starring Roddy
McDowall and Preston
Foster.

CADET—"Lucky Jordan,"
starring Alan Ladd.

CAPITOL—"Du Barry Was
a Lady," starring Red Skel-
ton.

DOMINION—"The Youngest
Profession," starring Vir-
ginia Weidler.

OAK BAY-PLAZA—John
Wayne and Binnie Barnes
in "In Old California."

RIO—"Berlin Correspond-
ent," starring Dana An-
drews and Virginia Gil-
more.

YORK—"Stand By For Ac-
tion," starring Robert Tay-
lor and Charles Laughton.

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CAPITOL

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MY FRIEND FLICKA

with RODDY McDOWALL
PRESTON FOSTER
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IN OLD CALIFORNIA
with BINNIE BARNES
ALBERT DEKKER

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"Underground Agent"
FRANK ALBERTSON
LESLIE BROOKS
BRUCE BENNETT

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Dorothy Dix:

Dear Miss Dix: My husband is in the army and he wants me to come where he is, but my mother and her friends are against it. What I really want to do myself is to go to him so that I can be with him as much as possible.

We have a baby 18 months old and my husband says that he gets so lonesome for us that he can hardly stand it, and I feel the same way about him. He says he will find a place for me to stay before I come. But my mother says that if I ever leave that I can't come back to her. Whenever she gets mad she tells me to take my things and go. That is another reason I prefer to be with my husband.

I have enough money to live on and come and go. What do you think I should do?

MRS. H. M.

Answer: If your husband can find a place for you to live in and you have the money to go on, I should think it will be perfectly alright for you to go to your husband and be with him as long as you can. The objection to wives going to camps to join their husbands has been that in so many places there has been a housing shortage and they could find no decent place to live, and also because it was more expensive than many of them could afford.

Your mother must be a very high-tempered and unreasonable woman to even threaten to have nothing to do with you if you follow your normal impulses to go to your husband. Probably she doesn't mean it. But if you are wise you will not attempt to live with her again.

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SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Oh, you're patriotic, all right! He was the best insurance prospect I've had in months, and all you talked about all afternoon was war bonds!"

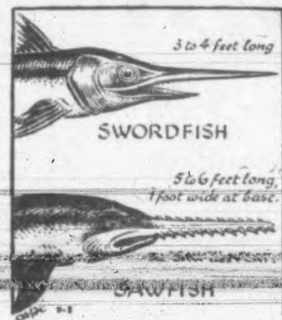
Uncle Ray

Captain Died After Being Struck by Swordfish

An unhappy event took place off the Massachusetts coast on an August day in 1886.

Capt. F. D. Langford and three of his men boarded a dory and went after a swordfish which had been harpooned. Picking up the cask inside the dory, the captain pulled on the line, which was very tight, because the fish was trying to get away. When most of the line was in, the fish suddenly turned and swam toward the boat.

With the slackening of the line, the captain fell backward. While he was lying on the bottom of the dory, the swordfish struck, and his sword came through the wood, striking Langford in the back.



The schooner soon came alongside. Not knowing how badly he had been hurt, the captain climbed out of the dory and aboard the schooner. There he took only a few steps before he fell on the deck. Three days later he died.

Time and again swordfish have attacked dories, sending their swords through the bottom. The part of the sword which comes into sight inside the boat may be from 12 to 25 inches long. Usually it breaks off while the fish struggles to get free.

Swordfish swim at a speed of perhaps a mile a minute when they drive into a boat. They more often attack small boats than large ones, but they have been known to strike big vessels as well.

Up to the time the Japanese captured Singapore, that city had a museum with a piece of oak plank three inches thick. The wood was taken from the side of a goodsized vessel which had been struck by a swordfish. A section of the sword, imbedded in the oak, was on display. Very possibly the museum and the exhibit still exist in Singapore, but in these times of war we can hardly be sure about such things.

The swordfish has the largest eyes among all the fish which

swim the sea. Sometimes it eyes measure three and a half inches across!

The swordfish has a large weapon, but an even larger one belongs to the sawfish. We shall speak about sawfish in our next story.

(For nature section of your scrapbook.)

Jap Defences Crack To Allied Pincers On Salamaua Base

By WILLIAM F. BONI

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC (AP)—The coastal jaw of a slowly-closing Allied pincers pressed nearer the Salamaua, New Guinea, air-drome from the southeast today as Japanese defences cracked.

A spokesman for Allied headquarters characterized the enemy's crumbling resistance as "rearguard," an indication the Japanese were giving way.

On the coast, below the air-drome and the Francisco River mouth, the Japanese for some time have been holding out on the western end of Roosevelt ridge at its junction with Scout ridge, which runs northeast from that point. Latest reports indicate the Allies have skirted enemy pillboxes and foxholes, sent the main spearhead along Scout ridge, and assigned another force to eliminate the virtually surrounded Japanese at that point.

AUSTRALIANS ADVANCE

Out of the mountains and along the south bank of the Francisco River, hard-bitten Australians have reached a point within two miles, possibly less, of the river's mouth. The river flows south of the air-drome into Bayern Bay.

North of the river, considerable activity indicated the Japanese, after the first shock of finding the Allies driving in from above as well as below the airstrip, were making a determined effort to hold positions.

SANTA-ISABEL CLEARED?

In the Solomons, there was some basis for believing the Japanese, emulating their garrison which pulled out of Kiska in the Aleutians, have evacuated Santa Isabel Island, with its seaplane base at Rekata Bay. Pilots returning from a raid Monday on that base northeast of New Georgia reported that for the first time no anti-aircraft fire was encountered.

Today's communique also reported destruction by U.S. motor torpedo boats and planes of barges and small supply boats between Vella Lavella and Kolombangara.

Ratproofing 54 business blocks in Little Rock, Ark., has recently been accomplished by a crew of 21 skilled workmen, including sanitary inspectors of the Public Health Service.

Quality Tobaccos make
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The milder better tasting smoke



WASH TUBS



MR. AND MRS.

By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover



Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1. 6 Pictured new U.S. medal, the
- 10 Constellation
- 12 Liquid measure
- 13 Street (abbr.)
- 15 Royal Italian family name
- 16 Also
- 17 Upward
- 18 Unhappy
- 30 Wandering
- 32 Dined
- 33 Ireland
- 35 Rydings before
- 36 One who mimics
- 37 Asiatic kingdom
- 39 Electrical term
- 39 Intersect
- 41 Male sheep
- 42 Decay
- 43 More pleasant
- 46 Bone
- 48 Love goddess
- 49 Back of neck
- 51 Was victorious
- 52 It is awarded
- 53 Half an
- 54 Not many
- 55 English money
- 56 Amount of account
- 57 Fortified place
- 58 Loose egg
- 59 Ripe
- 60 Early English (abbr.)

VERTICAL

- 1 Diminish
- 2 Proceed
- 3 Angry
- 4 French river
- 5 On (P.P.)
- 6 Coin
- 7 Termination
- 8 Right angle
- 9 Come to a point
- 11 Show
- 12 Piv
- 14 Weight allowance
- 15 Immense
- 16 Bronze
- 21 Army Post Office (abbr.)
- 24 Nostrils
- 26 Skull
- 28 Glibness
- 29 Male swan
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- 32 U.S. medal
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- 37 Eating implement
- 38 Rife
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- 43 Fall to
- 45 To place of
- 47 Music note

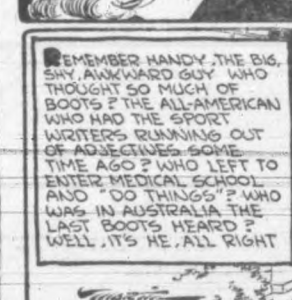
(Answer to previous puzzle)

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5.30—News—KXZ, KIRO.
Jack Armstrong—KJR.
War Interview—CJVI.
Chuck Carter—KOL.
Music—CBB.
Shirley Allen—KPO.
Marion Menner—KOMO.
Music for Young—CKWX.
Truman Bradley—KIRO at 5.45.
News—KJR at 5.45.
Cecil Brown—KXZ, KXZ at 5.55.

6.00—News—CJVI.
Music Hall—KOMO, KPO.
Hop Harrigan—KJR.
Evening Serenade—CBB.
Major Bowes—KIRO, KXZ.
Gabriel Heiser—KOL.
News—KJR at 6.15.

6.30—News—CKWX.
CBB.
Lane Hunter—CJVI.
You Tell Em—KOL.
Stage Door Canteen—KIRO, KXZ.
Fred Brady Show—KOMO.
Spotlight Band—KJR.

7.00—News—CKWX.
Garry Moore—KPO, KOMO.
Waltz Time—CJVI.
Raymond Gram Swing—KJR.
The Zing Lullaby—KXZ.
Raymond Gram Swing—KJR.
Symphony—CBB at 7.15.

7.30—March of Time—KOMO.
Max Douglas—KJR.
Ernest Howel—CJVI.
See Right—KJR.
Dinah Shore—CKWX.
Fort Lewis—KOL.

8.00—News—CBB.
Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
I Love a Mystery—KIRO.
Symphony—CJVI.
Watch the World—KJR.
American Forum—KOL.
Night Editor—KOMO, KPO, KXZ.
Lum and Abner—KJR at 8.15.
Murry James—KIRO, KXZ, KXZ.

8.30—Pacific Music—CBB.
American Forum—KOL.
Frank Morgan Show—KOMO.
Edward J. Rosten—KJR.
David Valley—KXZ, KXZ.
Tobacco—CKWX.
News—KIRO at 8.55.

9.00—News—KOL.
Wings to Victory—KJR.
Mighty Program—CJVI.
Weird Circle—CKWX.
Charles Ruggles—KIRO.
Aldrich Family—KOMO.
Drama—CBB.

9.30—Yankee Doodle—KJR.
Elmer Queen—KOMO, KPO.
Orchestra—KOL.
These Are Americans—KIRO.
Contest—CJVI.
Big Mountain Boys—CKWX.
Fulton Lewis—KOL at 9.40.

Thursday Features

6.00—Major Bowes—KIRO.

6.30—Stage Door Canteen—KIRO.

7.00—Garry Moore—KOMO.

8.30—Frank Morgan—KOMO.

9.00—Aldrich Family—KOMO.

9.30—Ellery Queen—KOMO, KPO.

10.00—Town Meeting—KJR.

10.00—News—KOMO, KPO, KXZ, CBB, CKWX, KIRO.

10.30—News—CJVI.

11.00—Evening Serenade—KOMO.

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Extra Policemen For City Urged

The Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council, meeting Wednesday night, endorsed a resolution calling for additional men for the city police force, for a high priority for police work and for deferment of police officers subject to military call when their loss threatens the efficiency of law enforcement here.

The motion was carried after George Wilkinson, secretary, had sketched the difficulties under which the department is now operating. Since the outbreak of war, he said, 17 experienced officers have joined the forces. With the population expanded, the force was restricted in its replacement efforts through manpower regulations favoring the employment for police work of men above military age or those unsuitable for army service. In many cases, the secretary said, the new appointees found it difficult to stand up to the work assigned them.

The council endorsed a request from the Community Chest organization asking support for the coming drive and suggested a payroll deduction of one-half of 1 per cent for charitable work.

Plans for the carnival at the Crystal Garden were outlined and satisfaction was expressed over the entertainment proposed.

Before dealing with a letter from the Civil Liberties Bureau concerning R. Kalvin, interned at Hull, Que., the council will seek further information from the Minister of Justice.

WANT NUTRITIOUS LUNCHES

Mrs. A. P. Rayment, representative on the local consumers' branch of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, presented a series of resolutions which were unanimously passed. They called for rationing of all scarce commodities, an immediate increase in the allotment of sugar for home canning, and provision of nutritious filler for sandwich lunches packed by workers. On the last point the council favored a plan whereby the shopper would be given the required filler upon a declaration it was to be used for workers' lunches. The council also adopted her resolution calling for an immediate increase in the quota of suitable underwear for outside workers in this region.

Employees in the area, including single women, were urged to pay their poll tax and register on the voters list in order to enjoy the franchise at the next civic elections.

Weird Story On CJVI

Story of a man's return to life after being dead 500 years is this week's offering of the Weird Circle. It is Bulwer-Lytton's famous tale, "The House and the Brain," the fantastic story of a man who was able to lengthen the span of his own life 500 years, and wield his malignant powers to call back the dead from a world beyond. This outstanding series of mystery classics titled the Weird Circle is heard over station CJVI every Friday night at 10.



Chips! OVEN-FRESH

ASK FOR QUAKER



Marcus Island Raid Puzzles Observers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The big unanswered question in the Pacific today was whether the United States navy raid on Marcus Island in Japan's home waters was a feint or a well-aimed knockout punch.

Three possibilities emerged

from the meagre accounts of the spectacular raid:

1. The carrier task force which bombed and shelled the island may have been preparing the way for occupation. It is not a big place, but in U.S. hands it could serve as an outpost to harass Japan's communications to the South Pacific.

2. The attack could have been a feint to cover some highly important move elsewhere, conceivably occupation of Wake

Island, or a drive on the vital Japanese positions in the Kuriles.

3. The navy may have moved in for a slashing hit-run blow for its psychological effect alone.

At any rate, the action served notice on Tokyo's admirals that the Allies can hit from many directions. The Japanese might be stampeded into dispersing their available forces to meet all possible threats, in such manner that a vulnerable hole would be opened in their defenses.

The willingness of the navy to

mention the raid before the fleet breaks its radio silence was another indication of growing Allied confidence in its Pacific might.

(A Japanese imperial headquarters communiqué claimed today 160 bombers and fighters participated in the U.S. raid on Marcus Island. The communiqué, broadcast from Tokyo and re-ported by Reuters news agency, said there were some casualties and damage to grounded planes

and ground installations. It claimed 12 U.S. planes were shot down.

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